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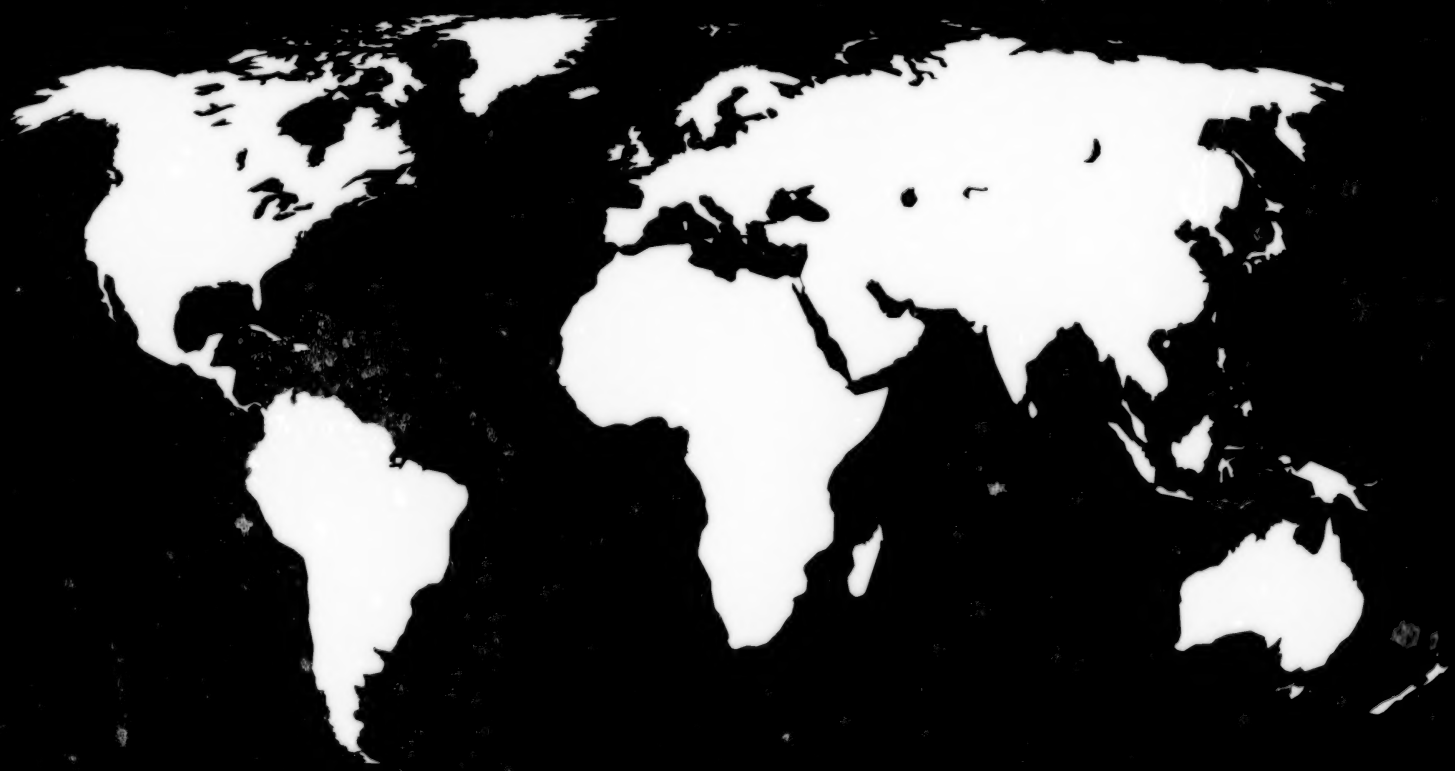

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THE VISA FUNCTION

One of the important functions of the Foreign Service of the United States is the administration abroad of our immigration laws. Congress first charged consular officers with the responsibility of issuing visas to certain aliens in the Act of July 5, 1884. In 1917, a general requirement that all aliens seeking to enter the United States obtain visas was instituted and has been continued since that time under successive immigration laws. With certain exceptions, therefore, aliens desiring to come to the United States are required to obtain appropriate visas from U.S. consular officers stationed at some 210 Foreign Service posts throughout the world.

Although consular officers are directly responsible under the law for the issuance or refusal of visas, the Department of State is charged with the general administration of the functions vested in the Foreign Service by the immigration laws. In fulfilling this responsibility, the Department's Visa Office in the Bureau of Consular Affairs prepares regulations that are published in the *Federal Register*; instructs consular officers regarding interpretations of law; establishes standardized procedures; provides on-the-spot guidance through regional conferences, workshops, and field trips; and furnishes advisory opinions concerning all phases of visa work. A review procedure is set in motion by consular requests for the Department's advice on material points of law, or when the Department requests a report from a consular post with a view to determining whether the action taken or proposed in a specific case is in accordance with the applicable provisions of the law. All immigrant and nonimmigrant visa processing at consular posts is now automated, thus providing visa issuing offices with a comprehensive and secure system for managing cases and determining applicant eligibility. Although the vast majority of visas are issued at overseas posts, a few categories of nonimmigrant visas may be issued or renewed by the Diplomatic Liaison Division of the Visa Office and by the U.S. Mission to the United Nations.

For many people in foreign lands, the call at the American consular office is the first personal contact with the United States. A courteous reception by an American official and fair and reasonable attention to the application for a visa serve to create an atmosphere of good will and help to promote our foreign relations.

In recent years successive Presidents have stressed the importance of facilitating international travel. At the same time, a thorough clearance process and application assessment is intended to insure that visas are provided only to individuals who are fully qualified under the law. The procedures for the issuance of visas to persons wishing to visit the United States have been kept as comprehensible as possible, and every effort is made to expedite necessary action to the extent practicable. Before a visa is issued, an applicant's written application is reviewed or the applicant is interviewed by a consular officer to determine eligibility for a visa appropriate to the purpose of the planned journey to the United States. If necessary, documentary evidence is requested to establish that the applicant intends to return to a residence abroad, does not come within any of the excludable classes, and has adequate financial resources for the proposed journey. To assist the travel of nonimmigrants, visas are issued incorporating the most liberal provisions possible with respect to validity period on the basis of reciprocity, that is, the treatment accorded by the applicant's country to U.S. citizens. Necessary clearance procedures are handled as expeditiously as possible. There is moreover a program under which certain citizens of several countries are permitted to visit the United States for up to 90 days without needing to obtain a visitor visa in advance of travel.

Applicants who are entitled to one of the immigrant classifications and who are chargeable to an oversubscribed foreign state or category are registered on waiting lists, in the order in which they have qualified, to establish a priority for consideration when visa numbers become available. The priority date for preference applicants is ordinarily that on which the petition to establish a preference was filed with the Immigration and Naturalization Service.

The National Visa Center, located in Portsmouth, New Hampshire, is designed to relieve Foreign Service posts of a substantial amount of the clerical workload required to process immigrant visa applications. Immigrant visa petitions are sent directly from the Immigration and Naturalization Service to the Center for initial screening, record-keeping, and instructions to the visa applicant before being forwarded to overseas posts for further processing and visa issuance. If an applicant's priority date does not allow immediate visa availability, the petition is stored at the Center until the case priority date permits visa processing to begin.

The Immigration and Naturalization Service primarily, the Public Health Service and the Department of Labor, and other agencies to a lesser extent, share in the administration of the immigration laws. The jurisdictions of those agencies are complementary in most respects, and close liaison is maintained between and among them and the Department of State to insure a uniform interpretation of the law and to coordinate practices. Officers of the Immigration and Naturalization Service are stationed at a number of Foreign Service posts abroad to carry out more effectively certain functions that come within the Service's area of responsibility.

In preparation for their visa duties abroad, consular officers take a visa services course at the Department of State's Foreign Service Institute as part of their basic Foreign Service training. Advanced consular training for experienced officers is also offered. A correspondence course in visa work is available for officers and clerical personnel assigned to overseas posts. The Department also makes available to visa personnel worldwide frequent technology updates and training, to support maximum operational efficiency and integrity.

Top Ten Immigrant and Nonimmigrant Visa Issuing Posts Fiscal Year 2001

Immigrant [1]		Nonimmigrant	
Ciudad Juarez	63,266	Seoul	406,973
Manila	29,738	Ciudad Juarez	336,290
Guangzhou	20,052	Mexico	335,225
Ho Chi Minh City	17,757	Tijuana [2]	330,136
Santo Domingo	14,607	Monterrey	307,645
Port au Prince	13,441	Nuevo Laredo	279,833
Mumbai	12,517	Taipei [3]	235,526
Islamabad	11,922	Matamoros	193,026
Warsaw	11,011	Bogota	186,629
Moscow	9,208	Guadalajara	171,510

[1] Replaced visas are not included in the immigrant figures.

[2] Includes combination B-1/B-2 visitor visa/Border Crossing Card issuances processed at the Mexicali and Tijuana Temporary Processing Facilities.

[3] The Taipei office of the American Institute in Taiwan, although an unofficial instrumentality, has been authorized to process visa applications for residents of Taiwan.

Immigrant and Nonimmigrant Visas Issued Top Ten Countries Fiscal Year 2001

Immigrant [1]		Nonimmigrant	
Mexico	63,028	Mexico	2,220,330
Philippines	31,077	South Korea	430,855
India	28,041	India	416,559
China (mainland born)	23,147	China (mainland)	345,748
Vietnam	18,634	China (Taiwan)	242,547
Dominican Republic	14,606	Brazil	240,609
Haiti	13,487	Colombia	197,407
Pakistan	11,835	Philippines	195,328
Jamaica	8,404	Great Britain and Northern Ireland	158,112
Russia	7,233	Israel	147,745

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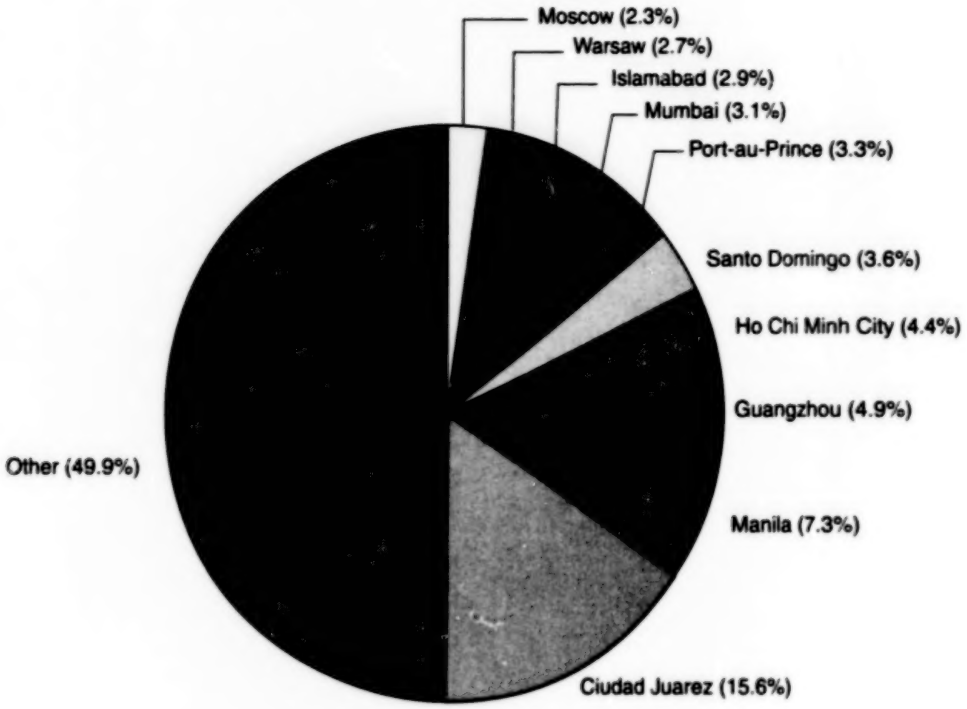
Immigrant Visa Issuances at Top Posts Fiscal Year 2001



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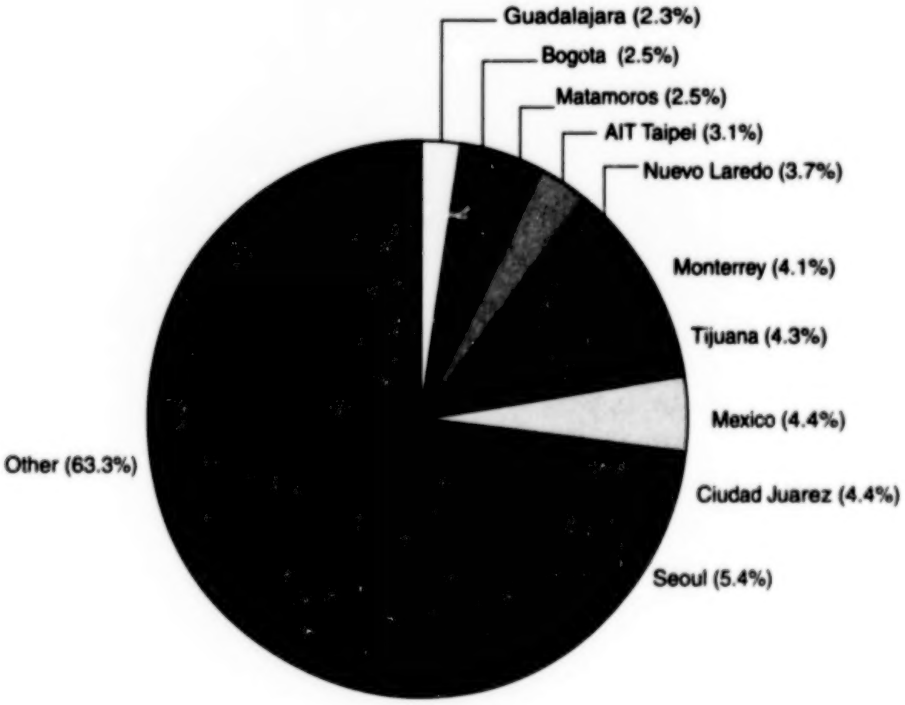
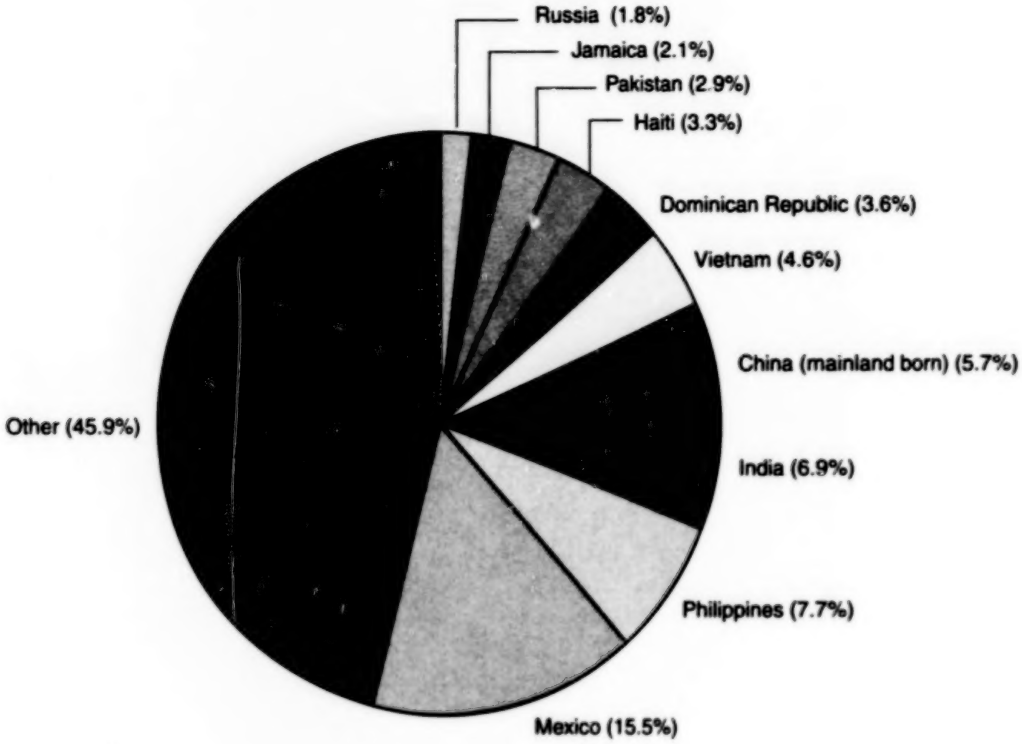


Immigrant Visas Issued at Foreign Service Posts by Country of Birth/Chargeability Fiscal Year 2001



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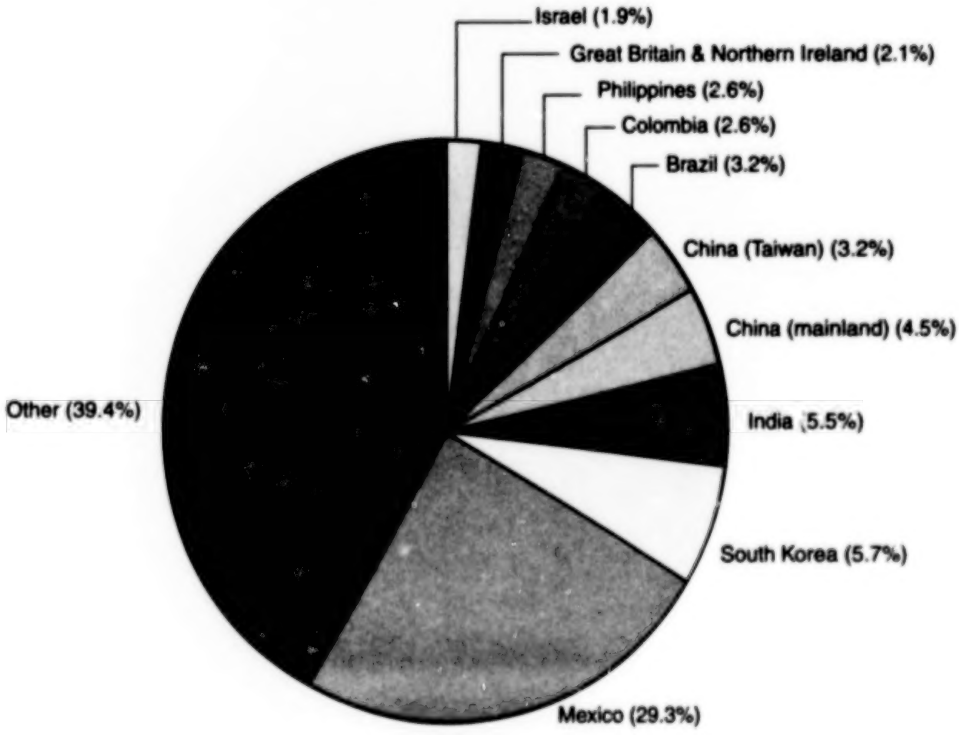


SUMMARY

This *Report of the Visa Office* is a compilation of statistical data for Fiscal Year 2001 (October 1, 2000 – September 30, 2001).

The *Report* includes information on all visa issuances by consular offices and on the use of visa numbers in the numerically limited categories. The sources of information for the data are workload reports from visa-issuing offices abroad and immigrant visa number allocation records maintained at the Visa Office.

The *Report* does not contain information on refugees or on persons granted adjustment to permanent resident status by the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS), **except** to the extent that such adjustments of status in the numerically limited categories are reflected in the tables of immigrant number use.

RECENT IMMIGRATION LEGISLATION

Extension of Employment Fourth Preference Status for Certain Religious Workers

The Religious Workers Act of 2000 (Public Law 106–409 enacted November 1, 2000) extended the Employment Fourth Preference status for certain religious workers specified in Section 101(a)(27)(C)(ii)(II) and (III) of the Immigration and Nationality Act for 3 additional years, to September 30, 2003.

Extension of Regional Investor Pilot Program Immigrant Categories

Section 610 of Public Law 102–395 enacted October 6, 1992, as amended by Section 116 of Public Law 105–119 enacted November 26, 1997, modified Section 203(b)(5) of the Immigration and Nationality Act by creating a 7-year pilot program which set aside up to 3,000 immigrant visas annually for aliens investing in qualifying regional centers in the United States for the promotion of economic growth (the "R5" and "I5" categories). Section 402 of the Visa Waiver Permanent Program Act (Public Law 106–396 enacted October 30, 2000) extended the program to 10 years (October 1, 1993 through September 30, 2003).

New Employment Fourth Preference Classes

Section 421(a) of the American Competitiveness and Workforce Improvement Act, Title IV of Division C of the Act of October 21, 1998 (Public Law 105–277) created a new Employment Fourth Preference class under Section 101(a)(27)(L) of the Immigration and Nationality Act for certain retired NATO–6 civilian employees and spouse, unmarried sons or daughters of retired NATO–6 civilian employees, or surviving spouses of deceased NATO–6 civilian employees.

Public Law 106–536 enacted November 22, 2000 created a new Employment Fourth Preference class under Section 101(a)(27)(M) of the Immigration and Nationality Act for immigrants who will be employed as broadcasters by the International Broadcasting Bureau of the Broadcasting Board of Governors or by grantees of the Broadcasting Board of Governors, and accompanying spouse and children, in a number not to exceed 100 principal aliens in any fiscal year. This provision became effective October 1, 2000.

The Department of State added these new classes to the immigrant visa classification table in its rule published on June 18, 2001.

Limitation on Per-Country Ceiling with Respect to Employment-Based Immigrants

The American Competitiveness in the Twenty-First Century Act (Title I of Public Law 106–313 enacted October 17, 2000) contains several provisions intended to increase the availability of Employment-Based immigrant visa numbers. In Fiscal Years 1999 and 2000, due in part to the per-country limitation, the annual numerical limits for Employment-Based visa numbers were not reached. Section 104 of Public Law 106–313 attempts to rectify this situation in regard to the Employment-Based per-country limit by providing that if the total of Employment-Based visa numbers available for a calendar quarter is greater than the number of qualified applicants who may otherwise be issued such visa numbers, the per-country limitation on Employment-Based visa numbers will be lifted for the remainder of that quarter.

Recapture of Employment-Based Immigrant Visa Numbers Unused in Fiscal Years 1999 and 2000

Section 106(d) of Public Law 106–313 provides for the recapture of those Employment-Based numbers that were available but not used in Fiscal Years 1999 and 2000. Beginning in Fiscal Year 2001, those unused numbers (which totaled 130,107) will be made available to applicants in the Employment First, Second, and Third preference categories once the annual Employment-Based numerical limit has been reached. The total of Employment-Based preference numbers available for a fiscal year is thus increased by the total of such numbers remaining in the pool (i.e., 130,107 minus the cumulative total of such numbers actually used for previous fiscal years.) See Appendix D for totals of numbers provided annually under Section 106(d) outside the Employment-Based numerical limit, and numbers remaining in the pool for future allocation.

Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000

On December 21, 2000 the President signed into law the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000, Title XI of Public Law 106–553. Sections 1102 and 1103 of the LIFE Act add to the existing nonimmigrant categories of Section 101(a)(15) of the Immigration and Nationality Act a new V category divided into three subcategories (V–1, V–2, V–3) and two new K subcategories (K–3, K–4). The underlying purpose of this legislation is to reunite families that have been or could be subject to a lengthy period of separation during the process of immigrating to the United States. The new categories permit issuance of nonimmigrant visas to the spouse, child, and in some instances the child of the spouse or child, of a lawful permanent resident alien (V–1, V–2 and V–3 classification), and to the spouse of a U.S. citizen and the child(ren) of the spouse (K–3 and K–4 classification). The visa recipients may then apply for admission into the United States as nonimmigrants to await the completion of the immigration process with their lawful permanent resident alien or U.S. citizen family member.

A discussion of the requirements for obtaining the new V or K nonimmigrant classification is included in the "Nonimmigrant Visas" section of this Summary.

Grounds for Refusal Under the Terms of the Immigration and Nationality Act

Section 212(a)(2)(H), which was added by Section 111(d), Division A (Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000) of the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 (Public Law 106–386 enacted October 28, 2000), provides that an alien who has engaged in severe forms of trafficking in persons, or who has been a knowing aider, abbetor, assister, conspirator, or colluder in severe forms of trafficking in persons, or the spouse, son or daughter (except for a child) of such an alien who within the previous 5 years has obtained any financial or other benefit from the illicit activity of that alien, is inadmissible.

IMMIGRANT VISA CATEGORIES AND NUMERICAL LIMITATIONS

See Appendix A for an outline of the categories of immigrants and the numerical limits established under the terms of the Immigration and Nationality Act, and Appendix B for background on the numerical limits for Fiscal Year 2001.

Numerical Limitations

During Fiscal Year 2001, 226,000 family-sponsored and 192,074 employment-based preference visas were available, for a worldwide family and employment preference limit of 418,074.

Through June 2001, employment-based preference visas were available to most applicants without a waiting period; exceptions were applicants chargeable to CHINA–mainland born and INDIA, for whom heavy visa demand in excess of the per-country annual limit set by law resulted in a visa availability cut-off date, and all applicants in the "Other (i.e., Unskilled) Worker" subgroup within Employment Third preference. In July 2001, employment-based preference visas became available to all applicants without a waiting period. All family-sponsored preference categories were oversubscribed.

The per-country limit on **preference** immigrants is set by the Immigration and Nationality Act at 7% of the worldwide family and employment preference limits. For Fiscal Year 2001, the per-country limit came to 29,265. The dependent area limit came to 8,361, 2% of the worldwide family and employment preference limits.

When demand for preference immigrant numbers exceeds the annual limitation set by law for a country, that country is considered oversubscribed. All oversubscribed chargeabilities are subject to the provisions of Section 202(e) of the Immigration

and Nationality Act, which makes immigrant numbers within the per-country limitation available to each preference category in proportion to its worldwide numerical limitation. (See Appendix A, Section II.B. for breakdown.) The following chargeabilities were oversubscribed throughout Fiscal Year 2001: MEXICO and PHILIPPINES.

Diversity Immigrant (DV) Category

Section 203(c) of the Immigration and Nationality Act makes available 55,000 immigrant visas annually to persons from countries with low rates of immigration to the United States. Applicants for these visas are selected by means of an annual lottery. Congress established this category to provide more visas for Europe (the traditional source of immigration) and Africa (long underrepresented in total immigration) without restricting immigration from Asia and Latin America, from which about 80 percent of legal immigrants have come in recent years. The program also offers a chance to immigrants who do not already have close family members or employers in the United States and who thus cannot qualify for visas in other categories.

The Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act (NACARA) of 1997 (Pub. L. 105-500 enacted November 19, 1997) provides that beginning with Fiscal Year 1999, and for as long as necessary, the 55,000 diversity visa numbers available for a fiscal year will be reduced by up to 5,000 annually to offset adjustments under the NACARA program. This provision resulted in the reduction of the Fiscal Year 2001 DV limit to 50,000 numbers.

Not more than 3,500 DV visas (7% of the annual visa limit) may be provided to immigrants from any one country. Under a complex formula in the law based upon statistical data concerning immigration over a 5-year period, the visas are apportioned among six geographic regions. The allotment of Fiscal Year 2001 visa numbers for each region was: Africa, 19,715; Asia, 6,056; Europe, 21,148; North America (Bahamas), 8; South America, Central America, and the Caribbean, 2,309; and Oceania, 764.

Natives of all countries except those defined as "high admission" countries are eligible to participate in the DV program. For Fiscal Year 2001, the "high admission" countries were: Canada, China (mainland and Taiwan, except Hong Kong Special Administrative Region), Colombia, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Haiti, India, Jamaica, South Korea, Mexico, Philippines, Poland, United Kingdom (except Northern Ireland) and its dependent territories, and Vietnam.

Applicants registered for the Fiscal Year 2001 DV program were selected from the approximately 11 million qualified entries received during the 1-month application period which ran from noon October 4 through noon November 3, 1999. The Department of State picked at random by computer and assigned rank order numbers to approximately 90,000 applicants. That figure anticipated that many of the registrants would not pursue their cases or might be ineligible to receive visas, and was intended to insure that all 50,000 Fiscal Year 2001 visa numbers could be used.

Entitlement to status for DV applicants registered for Fiscal Year 2001 expired at the end of the fiscal year, i.e., as of September 30, 2001. Of the visa numbers available for this category in Fiscal Year 2001, 45,450 numbers were issued.

IMMIGRANT VISAS

Immigrant Visa Workload

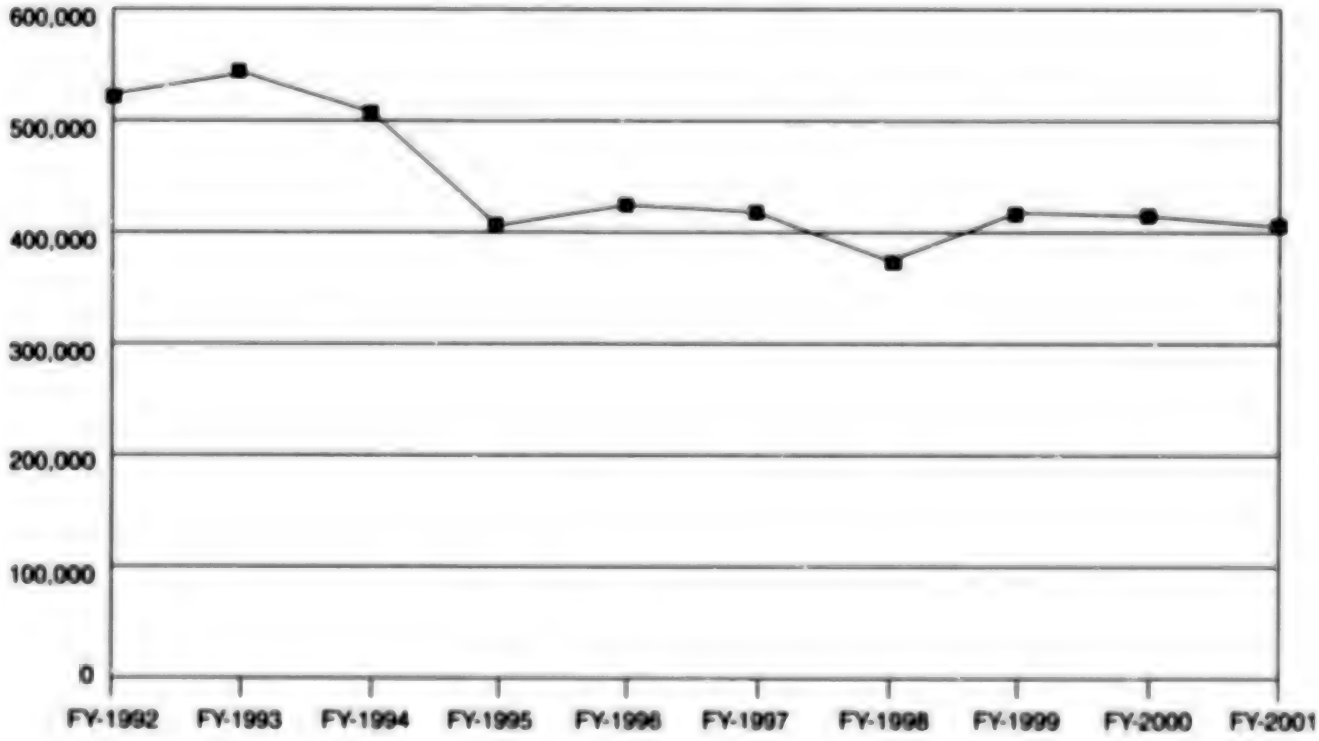
The total number of immigrant visas (including replaced visas) issued at offices abroad in Fiscal Year 2001 was 408,774. This figure is a decrease of 5,540 from the immigrant visa issuances for Fiscal Year 2000. Immediate Relative issuances were up 5.2 percent, Family-Sponsored Preference issuances decreased 19.3 percent, and Employment-Based Preference issuances were up 92.6 percent from the prior year. In the Family Preference classes, the numerical limits were lower, and the percentage of adjustments of status at Immigration and Naturalization Service offices in the United States were higher, in Fiscal Year 2001 than in Fiscal Year 2000. The resulting decline in Family Preference visa issuances more than offset the increases in Immediate Relative and Employment Preference visa issuances.

Immigrant Visas Issued at Foreign Service Posts by Geographic Areas Fiscal Years 1997–2001

Region of Birth or Chargeability	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa	30,514	27,141	29,579	29,364	29,988
Asia	173,614	152,801	148,819	162,772	164,614
Europe	50,059	49,478	52,769	53,533	53,631
North America	132,622	120,260	154,762	140,081	128,151
Oceania	2,601	2,835	2,802	2,771	2,927
South America	27,509	23,169	24,931	25,000	26,769
Total	**416,919**	**375,684**	**413,662**	**413,521**	**406,080**

Note: The above figures do not include replaced visas. Issuances to persons chargeable to dependent areas are included in the figure for the region of the governing country.

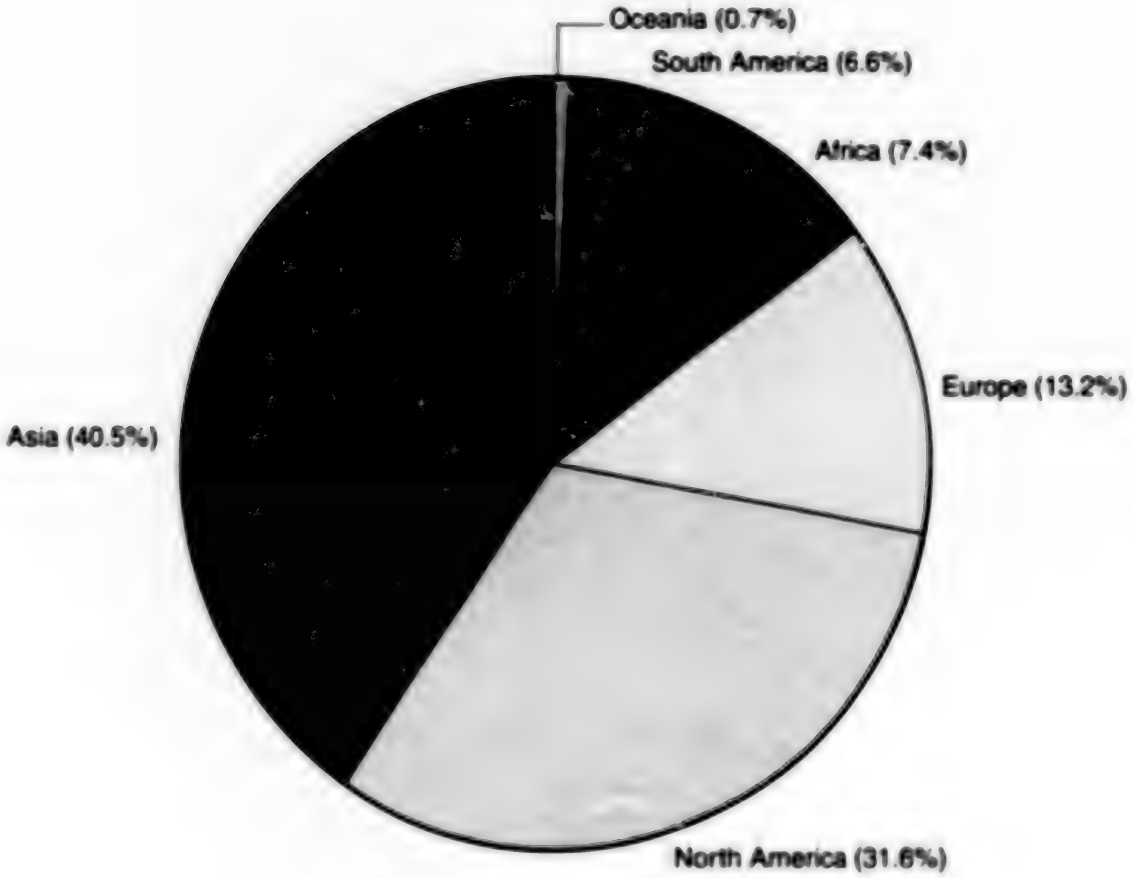
Immigrant Visas Issued Fiscal Years 1992–2001



On a regional basis the following variations are noted: Africa up 624 (+2.1%), Asia up 1,842 (+1.1%), Europe up 98 (+0.2%), North America down 11,930 (–8.5%), Oceania up 156 (+5.6%), and South America up 1,769 (+7.1%).

Immigrants from Asia represented 40.5% of the total visa issuances, with North America following with 31.6%.

Immigrant Visa Issuances
by Applicants' Area of Birth/Chargeability
Regional Breakdown
Fiscal Year 2001



Classes of Immigrants

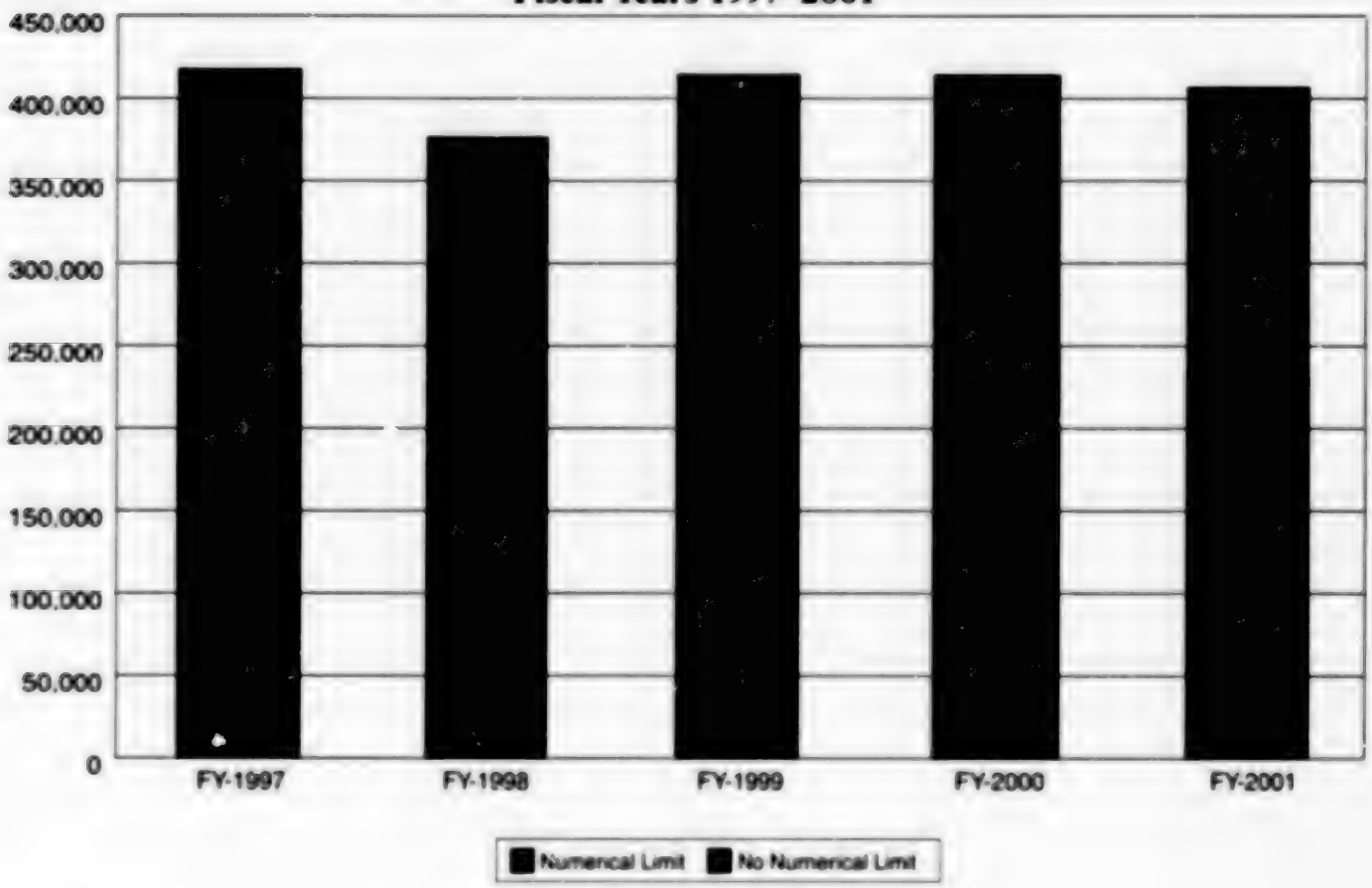
Immigrants may be divided into two broad categories: Those who are in classes subject to numerical limitations, and those in classes for which there are no numerical restrictions.

Classes Not Subject to Limitations

The classes not subject to numerical limitations include: "Immediate Relatives" of U.S. citizens, defined as spouse, child, orphan adopted or to be adopted, parent (if the citizen is at least 21 years of age), and certain widow(er)s and their children, and some "Special Immigrants," primarily returning resident aliens. The Vietnam Amerasian immigrant category also falls in this group.

The majority of nonlimited visas are issued to immediate relatives. During Fiscal Year 2001, the total of immediate relative visas issued at overseas posts was 172,087, an increase of 8,477 (+5.2%) from the Fiscal Year 2000 figure.

Immigrant Visas Issued at Offices Abroad Fiscal Years 1997–2001



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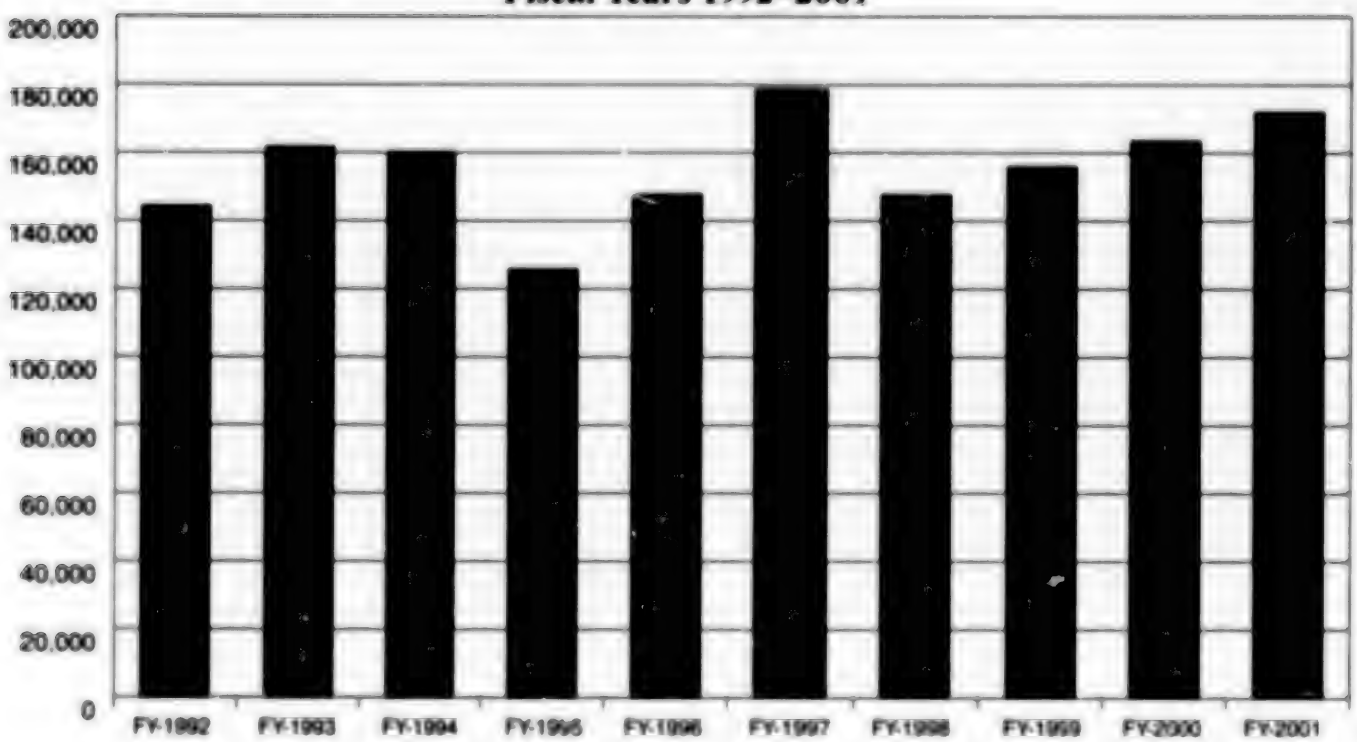
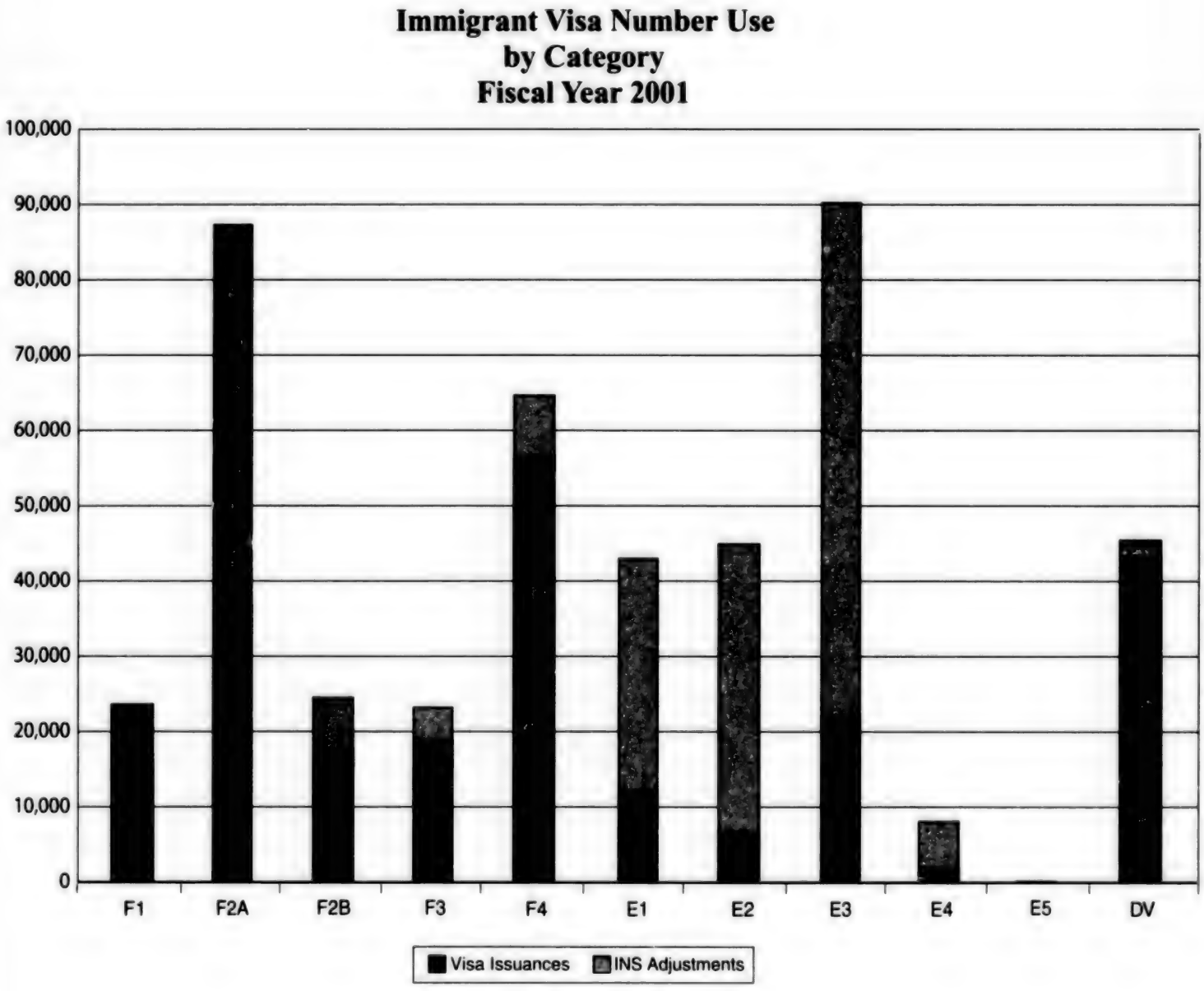


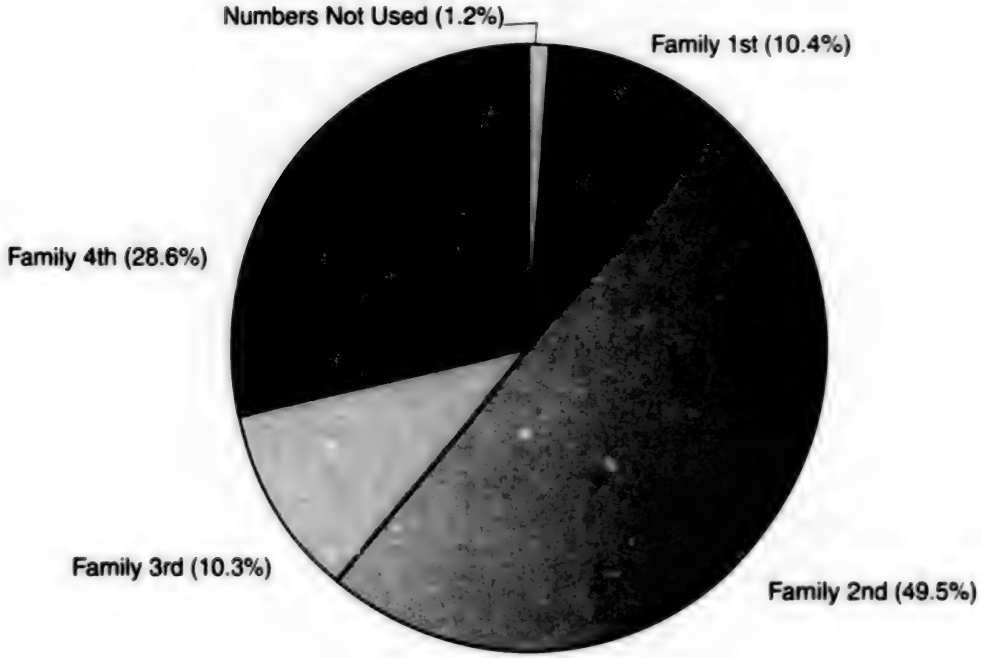
Numerically Limited Classes

Most immigrant visas are issued to persons in the classes subject to numerical limitation. A description of these classes and numerical limits can be found in Appendix A, Section II.

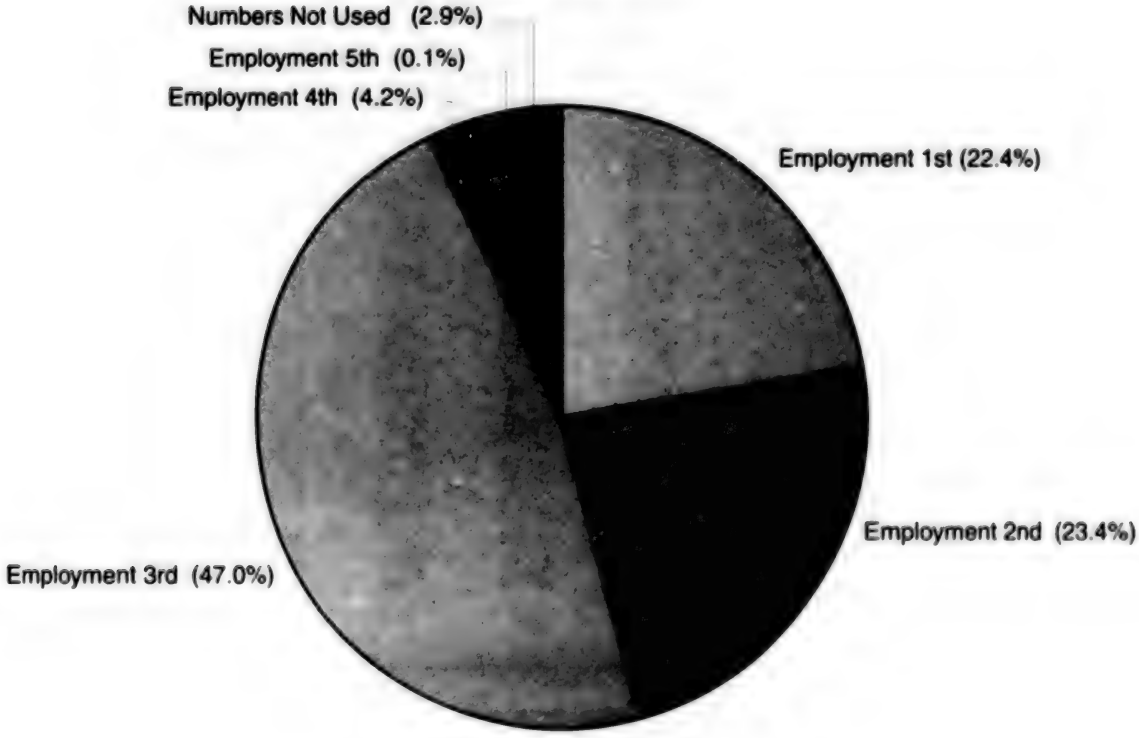
For Fiscal Year 2001, visas provided at posts abroad represented 65% of the issuances in the Family preferences, 23% of the Employment preference number use, and 95% of the Diversity Immigrant category issuances. The balance were applicants for adjustment of status at offices of the Immigration and Naturalization Service in the United States. The overall percentage of visas in these classes provided at posts abroad decreased from Fiscal Year 2000, when such visas represented 75% of the Family preference issuances, 20% of the Employment preference number use, and 93% of the Diversity Immigrant issuances.



Immigrant Visa Number Use in the Family-Sponsored Preference Classes 226,000 Worldwide Limitation Fiscal Year 2001



Immigrant Visa Number Use in the Employment-Based Preference Classes 192,074 Worldwide Limitation Fiscal Year 2001



NONIMMIGRANT VISAS

Nonimmigrant Visa Workload

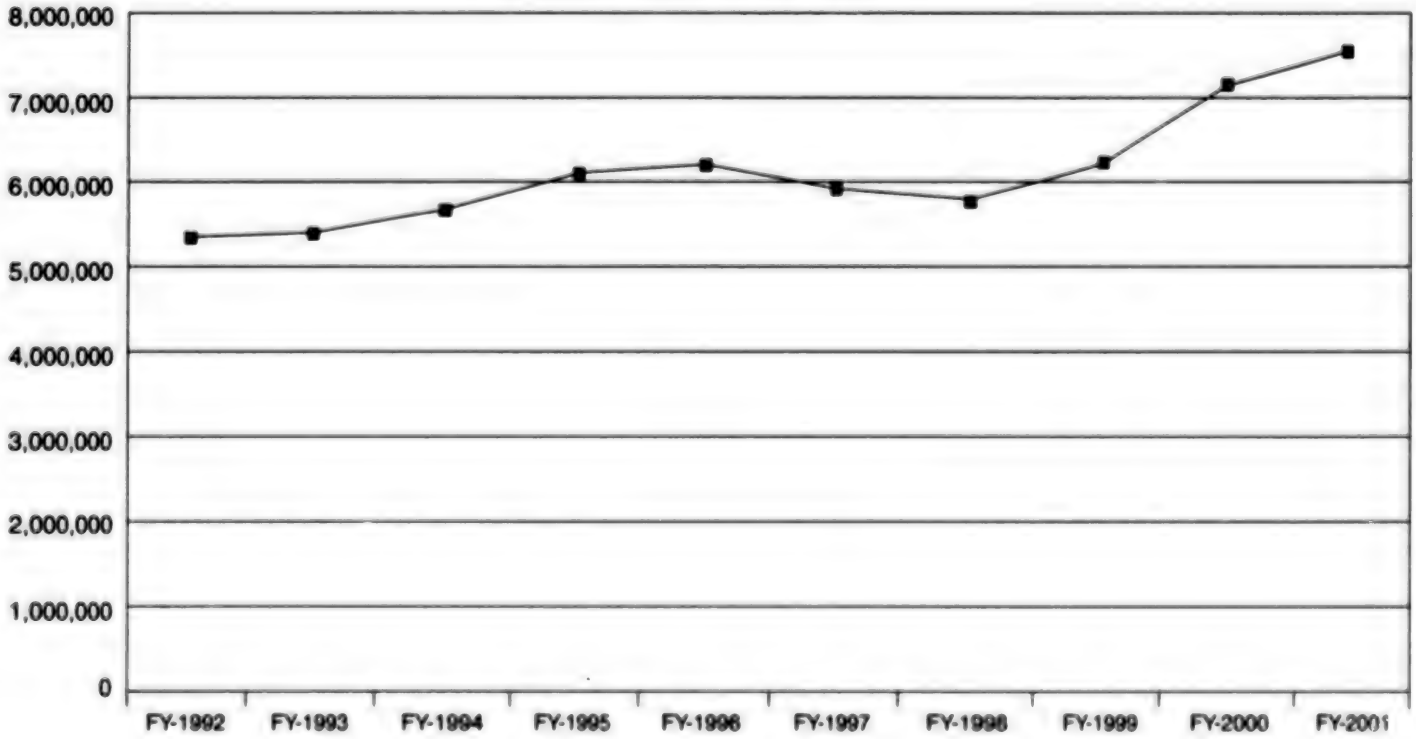
In Fiscal Year 2001, nonimmigrant visa issuances at Foreign Service posts totaled 7,588,778, an increase of 447,142 (+6.3%) from the Fiscal Year 2000 figure of 7,141,636. This increase is attributable mainly to the replacement of existing Mexican Border Crossing Cards by the new machine-readable cards with a biometric indicator mandated by Section 104 of Pub. L. 104–208. Issuances in the H (temporary worker) visa classes also increased.

Nonimmigrant visa issuances remained below the record high of 8,679,709 set in Fiscal Year 1988, a continuing reflection of the Visa Waiver Program. The Visa Waiver Program was permanently authorized by the Visa Waiver Permanent Program Act (Public Law 106–396 enacted October 30, 2000). The 29 countries in the Program during FY–2001 were Andorra, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brunei, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Portugal, San Marino, Singapore, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, and Uruguay. Under the waiver program, citizens of the designated countries may visit the United States for up to 90 days without the need of obtaining a visitor visa. (Under separate provisions of law, visas are also not required of most Canadians and of certain other limited categories of travelers.)

Nonimmigrant issuances to nationals of North American countries were about 36.8% of the total, and visas issued to nationals of Asian countries equaled about 32.2%. Visitor (B) visas and Border Crossing Cards (BCCs) accounted for about 78.8% of the nonimmigrant visas issued, and temporary employment (E, H, I, L, O, P, Q, R, and NAFTA) visas about 7.7%. Visas issued to 10 nationalities (Mexico, South Korea, India, China (mainland and Taiwan), Brazil, Colombia, Philippines, Great Britain and Northern Ireland, and Israel) accounted for about 60.6% of the total issuances.

It should be noted that most nonimmigrant visas are valid for several years. The total of persons holding valid visas, therefore, is several times the figure for visas issued in any one year. The Department of State has made a conscious effort to authorize the maximum possible nonimmigrant visa validity for qualified applicants to reduce the need for frequent reapplication, thus helping to make worldwide nonimmigrant visa processing as efficient as possible.

Nonimmigrant Visas Issued
Fiscal Years 1992–2001



Nonimmigrant Visas Issued [1]
By Geographic Areas
Fiscal Years 1997 – 2001

Region Of Nationality	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa	267,210	284,071	299,726	327,568	348,935
Asia	2,389,684	2,047,626	2,127,317	2,456,459	2,441,707
Europe	1,145,164	1,099,114	1,081,904	1,095,296	1,065,039
North America	967,475	1,227,651	1,666,356	2,361,973	2,794,848
Oceania	46,409	47,053	52,565	52,835	55,511
South America	1,079,655	1,085,251	941,607	826,236	865,116
No Nationality Recorded [2]	46,464	23,387	23,003	21,269	17,622
Total	**5,942,061**	**5,814,153**	**6,192,478**	**7,141,636**	**7,588,778**

Note: Issuances to persons with the nationality of a dependent area are included in the figures for the region of the governing country.

[1] Includes border crossing cards.
[2] Crew list visas and issuances in UN Laissez Passer are included in the "No Nationality Recorded" figure.

Recent Legislation Regarding H Visas

Public Law 106–313 makes several changes to the H–1B annual cap and exempts certain H–1B petitions from the cap. Section 102 raised the annual cap on H–1Bs for Fiscal Years 2001, 2002, and 2003 to 195,000 per year; retroactively raised the Fiscal Year 1999 annual cap to the number of aliens actually granted H–1B status during that year; and retroactively raised the Fiscal Year 2000 cap to the number of aliens issued visas or otherwise granted status based on petitions filed before September 1, 2000. Section 103 exempts from the annual H–1B cap aliens employed (or offered employment) at an institution of higher education or a related or affiliated nonprofit entity, or a nonprofit research organization or a governmental research organization; and aliens who have already been counted against the H–1B cap within the past 6 years. Section 114 exempts from the H-1B cap aliens subject to the Section 212(e) foreign residence requirement who have been granted a waiver under Section 214(l)(1)(B).

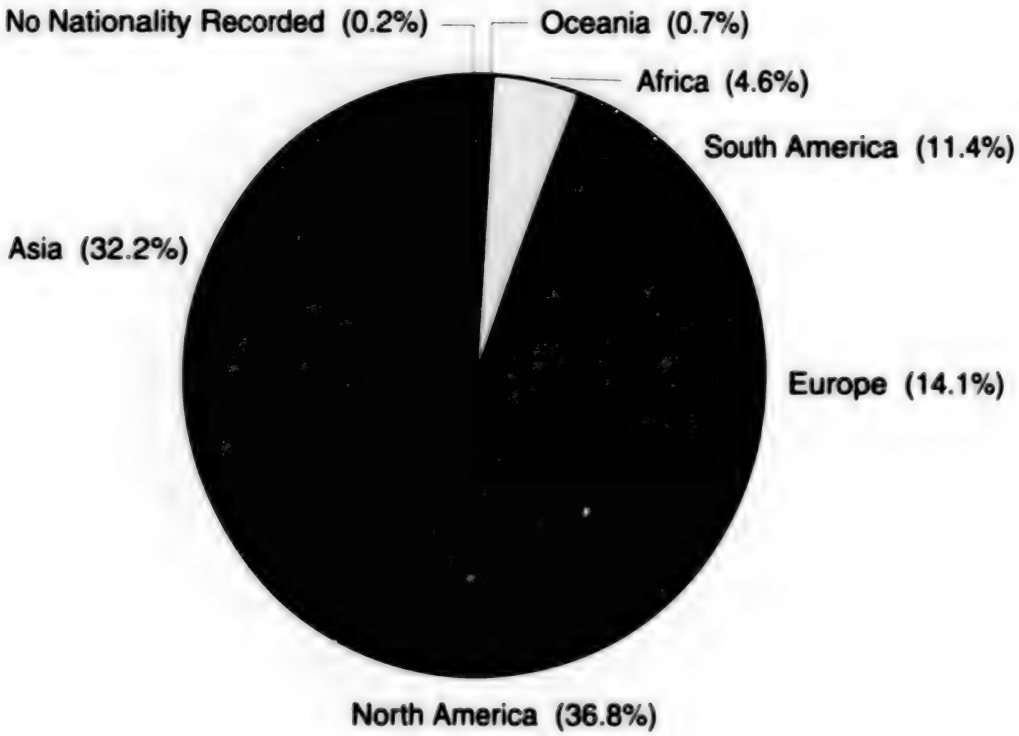
Section 101(a)(15)(H)(I)(C) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, which was added by Section 2(a) of the Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act of 1999 (Public Law 106–95 enacted November 12, 1999), created a new visa class for registered nurses coming to areas in which there is a health professional shortage. The new visa class became effective on June 11, 2001, the date on which the Immigration and Naturalization Service published implementing regulations. Since this class is to remain in effect for 4 years from the date the regulations were first promulgated, the program will end by June 11, 2005.

T and U Visa Classes Added by the Victims of Violence and Trafficking Protection Act of 2000

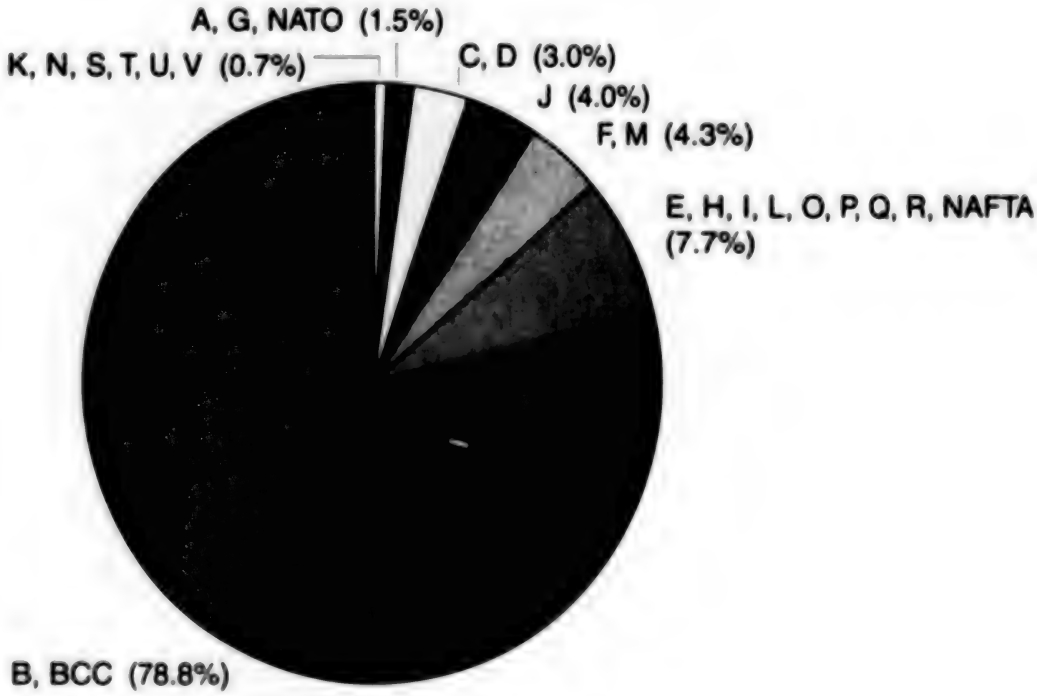
Section 101(a)(15)(T) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, added by Section 107(e)(1), Division A (Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000) of Public Law 106–386, created a new nonimmigrant status for eligible victims of severe forms of trafficking in persons who have complied with any reasonable request for assistance in the investigation or prosecution of acts of trafficking in persons, and who can demonstrate that they would suffer extreme hardship involving unusual or severe harm if they were removed from the United States. Applicants for T–1 status must be physically present in the United States at the time of application. However, the T–1 principal alien may apply to the Service for derivative T–2, T–3, or T–4 nonimmigrant status for an eligible spouse, child, or (in the case of an alien child) parent respectively who is following to join the T–1 principal.

Section 101(a)(15)(U) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, added by Section 1513(b), Title V (Battered Immigrant Women Protection Act of 2000), Division B (Violence Against Women Act of 2000) of Public Law 106–386, created a new nonimmigrant status for eligible aliens who have suffered physical or mental abuse as a result of having been victims of criminal

Nonimmigrant Visa Issuances by Applicants' Nationality
Regional Breakdown
Fiscal Year 2001



Nonimmigrant Visa Issuances by Classification
Fiscal Year 2001



activity, who possess information concerning criminal activity, and who are, have been, or are likely to be helpful to government officials investigating or prosecuting criminal activity. The Service may grant derivative U–2, U–3, or U–4 nonimmigrant status to an eligible spouse, child, or (in the case of an alien child) parent respectively of a U–1 principal if necessary to avoid extreme hardship, upon certification that the investigation or prosecution would be harmed without their assistance.

V Visa Classes and K–3 and K–4 Visa Classes Added by the LIFE Act

Section 101(a)(15)(V) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, which was added by Section 1102, Title XI (LIFE Act) of Public Law 106–553, creates a new V nonimmigrant status for certain spouses and children of lawful permanent residents who have filed second preference (F2A) petitions in their behalf, and for their children. A spouse who qualifies for V status, a petitioned-for child, and a derivative child of either, will be classified as V–1, V–2 and V–3 respectively. In order to obtain classification as a V–1 or V–2 nonimmigrant, the alien must establish that a second preference (F2A) petition had been filed in his or her name on or before December 21, 2000 (the date the LIFE Act was enacted), and that either (1) the petition has not been acted upon after 3 years or more, or (2) if the petition has been approved, 3 years or more have passed since the petition was filed and either no visa number has become available because of the worldwide or per-country numerical limitation, or even though a number is available the alien's application for a visa or for adjustment of status remains pending. Eligible aliens may enter and work in the United States, and continue to reside here while they wait for the immigrant visa petition to be approved; their priority date to be reached for filing for adjustment of status or an application for an immigrant visa; and the adjudication of that application.

Section 1103, Title XI of Public Law 106–553 adds new subcategory K(ii) to the existing K (fiancé(e)) nonimmigrant category which has been renumbered K(i). (A fiancé(e) of a U.S. citizen and a derivative child of a fiancé(e) will continue to be designated K–1 and K–2 respectively for visa purposes.) The new K–3 visa is intended for use by a spouse of a U.S. citizen for whom a spousal immediate relative petition has been filed in the United States. The spouse's children will be designated K–4. Unlike the new V category, neither existing legislation nor the LIFE Act provides for K visa issuance to the child of a child of the spouse or the petitioner. In order to obtain classification as a K–3 nonimmigrant, the alien must demonstrate that his or her marriage to the U.S. citizen is valid, he or she is the beneficiary of an immigrant visa petition (I-130) filed to accord status as the immediate relative spouse of a U.S. citizen, that he or she is the beneficiary of an approved nonimmigrant visa petition (I-129F) to accord K–3 status, and that he or she wishes to enter the United States to await the approval of the I-130 petition or the availability of an immigrant visa. The nonimmigrant visa petition must have been filed in the United States by the U.S. citizen spouse of the applicant.

NATIONAL VISA CENTER

The National Visa Center, located in Portsmouth, New Hampshire, provides administrative support for U.S. embassies and consulates abroad that process immigrant visas. The mailing address of the Center is: National Visa Center, 32 Rochester Avenue, Portsmouth, New Hampshire 03801. The public inquiries telephone number of the Center is: (603) 334-0700.

CHANGES IN REPORTING OF VISA SERVICES AT FOREIGN SERVICE POSTS

During Fiscal Year 2001, the remaining Beirut immigrant visa files, which were transferred to Embassy Abu Dhabi in Fiscal Year 1991, were integrated with and are now being reported as part of Abu Dhabi's immigrant visa workload.

CHANGES IN FOREIGN STATE CHARGEABILITY

Effective December 20, 1999, Macau was returned to Chinese administration and was designated as the Special Administrative Region of Macau. Title II (United States-Macau Policy Act of 2000) of Public Law 106–570 (Assistance for International Malaria Control Act) enacted December 27, 2000 provides that, notwithstanding any change in the exercise of sovereignty over Macau, the laws of the United States shall continue to apply with respect to Macau in the same manner as before December 20, 1999. Consequently, for purposes of immigrant visa chargeability Macau is again being treated as a dependency of Portugal.

On November 17, 2000, the United States Government established diplomatic relations with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, recognizing it as an independent state. The former practice of using Serbia and Montenegro for the name of this entity was discontinued.

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Table I
Immigrant and Nonimmigrant Visas Issued at Foreign Service Posts
Fiscal Years 1997 – 2001

	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Immigrant Categories					
Immediate Relatives	178,774	147,760	156,048	163,610	172,087
Special Immigrants [1]	853	748	830	816	856
Vietnam Amerasian Immigrants	835	399	245	1,052	426
Family-Sponsored Preference	170,785	165,986	191,393	181,127	146,204
Employment-Based Preference	20,898	15,815	15,455	22,392	43,129
Armed Forces Special Immigrants	47	21	19	11	7
DV Diversity Immigrants	44,727	44,955	49,672	44,513	43,371
Total	**416,919**	**375,684**	**413,662**	**413,521**	**406,080**
Nonimmigrant Categories					
Visas Issued	5,904,055	5,805,795	6,192,478	7,141,636	7,588,778
Border Crossing Cards [2]	38,006	8,358			
(B1/B2/BCCs) [3]	(387,845)	(289,883)	(676,386)	(1,510,133)	(1,990,402)
Total	**5,942,061**	**5,814,153**	**6,192,478**	**7,141,636**	**7,588,778**

Note: The totals on this table do not include replaced immigrant visas.

[1] Special Immigrant totals include returning residents only.

[2] Border Crossing Cards were issued at posts in Canada and Mexico; issuance ceased in FY–98.

[3] Combination B–1/B–2 visitor visa/Border Crossing Card (B1/B2/BCC) issuance began in FY–84 at posts in Mexico and in FY–92 at posts in Canada; issuance ceased in FY–98 at posts in Canada. Combination B–1/B–2 visitor visa/Border Crossing Cards (B1/B2/BCCs) are included in the "Visas Issued" line.

Table II
Classes of Immigrants Issued Visas at Foreign Service Posts
Fiscal Years 1997 – 2001

Class of Immigrant	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Grand Total	416,919	375,684	413,662	413,521	406,080
Family-Sponsored Preference Total	170,785	165,986	191,395	181,127	146,204
First Preference					
Unmarried son or daughter of U.S. citizen, and children	17,185	14,353	18,936	19,670	15,871
Second Preference Exempt from Country Limitations					
Spouse or child of alien resident, and children	32,611	29,796	45,662	37,653	20,661
Second Preference Subject to Country Limitations					
Spouse or child of alien resident, and children	16,777	18,147	21,790	20,227	16,464
Unmarried son or daughter of alien resident, and children	21,368	17,542	22,029	22,866	17,559
Third Preference					
Married son or daughter of U.S. citizen, spouse and children	22,117	22,385	22,495	22,092	18,972
Fourth Preference					
Brother or sister of U.S. citizen, spouse and children	60,727	63,763	60,481	58,619	56,677
Employment-Based Preference Total	20,898	15,815	15,455	22,392	43,129
First Preference					
Priority worker, spouse and children	3,793	3,399	3,233	5,780	12,208
Second Preference					
Professional holding advanced degree or alien of exceptional ability, spouse and children	1,120	991	853	1,940	6,716
Third Preference					
Skilled worker or professional, spouse and children	10,068	6,552	7,682	10,793	20,710
Other worker, spouse and children	2,729	2,559	2,032	1,789	1,408
Fourth Preference					
Broadcaster in the United States employed by the International Broadcasting Bureau of the Broadcasting Board of Governors or grantees of that Board, and accompanying spouse and children [1]					-
Minister of religion, spouse and children	618	532	414	431	693
Certain employees or former employees of the U.S. Government abroad, spouse and children	603	519	683	974	849
Certain former employees of the Panama Canal Company or Canal Zone Government, spouse and children	6	2	-	6	3
Certain former employees of the U.S. Government in the Canal Zone, spouse and children	37	10	5	12	8
Certain former employees of the Panama Canal Company or Canal Zone Government on April 1, 1979, spouse and children	-	-	-	-	-
Spouse and child of certain foreign medical graduates	-	-	-	-	-
Certain retired international organization employees and spouse, unmarried sons or daughters of international organization employees, surviving spouses of deceased international organization employees	13	14	17	6	22
Certain juvenile court dependents	-	-	-	-	-

Table II
Classes of Immigrants Issued Visas at Foreign Service Posts (Continued)
Fiscal Years 1997 – 2001

Class of Immigrant	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Certain retired NATO–6 civilian employees and spouse, unmarried sons or daughters of NATO–6 civilian employees, surviving spouses of deceased NATO–6 civilian employees [2]					-
Certain religious workers, spouse and children	701	725	462	595	461
Fifth Preference					
Employment creation outside targeted area, spouse and children	182	122	28	25	31
Employment creation in targeted rural/high unemployment area, spouse and children	922	241	45	41	20
Investor pilot program not in targeted area, spouse and children [3]	4	3	-	-	-
Investor pilot program in targeted area, spouse and children [3]	102	146	1	-	-
Alien recruited outside the United States who has served or is enlisted to serve in the U.S. Armed Forces for 12 years, spouse and children	47	21	19	11	7
Immediate Relative Total	178,774	147,760	156,048	163,610	172,087
Spouse of U.S. citizen	24,440	19,270	20,828	22,676	28,172
Spouse of U.S. citizen (conditional) [4]	33,042	26,843	28,547	31,440	31,307
Child of U.S. citizen	36,902	30,188	32,175	33,268	33,098
Child of U.S. citizen (conditional) [4]	7,315	6,328	5,780	5,399	5,102
Orphan adopted abroad by U.S. citizen	9,176	10,829	11,338	13,195	13,791
Orphan to be adopted in the U.S. by U.S. citizen	4,445	4,754	5,031	5,282	5,433
Parent of U.S. citizen at least 21 years of age	63,359	49,462	52,271	52,245	55,093
Parent of U.S. citizen who acquired status under the Virgin Islands Nonimmigrant Alien Adjustment Act (Pub. L. 97–271)	-	-	-	-	-
Certain widow(er)s of U.S. citizens	90	78	53	81	78
Children of certain widow(er)s of U.S. citizens	5	8	25	24	13
Special Immigrant Total	853	748	830	816	856
Returning resident	853	748	830	816	856
Certain persons who lost U.S. citizenship by marriage	-	-	-	-	-
Certain persons who lost U.S. citizenship by serving in foreign armed forces	-	-	-	-	-
Vietnam Amerasian Immigrants	835	399	245	1,052	426
DV Diversity Immigrants	44,727	44,955	49,672	44,513	43,371

Table II
Classes of Immigrants Issued Visas at Foreign Service Posts (Continued)
Fiscal Years 1997 – 2001

[1] Pub. L. 106–536 enacted November 22, 2000 created a new Employment Fourth Preference class under INA 101(a)(27)(M) for immigrants who will be employed as broadcasters by the International Broadcasting Bureau of the Broadcasting Board of Governors or by grantees of the Broadcasting Board of Governors, and accompanying spouse and children, in a number not to exceed 100 principal aliens in any fiscal year. This provision became effective October 1, 2000.

[2] Section 421(a) of the American Competitiveness and Workforce Improvement Act, Title IV of Division C of the Act of October 21, 1998 (Pub. L. 105–277) created a new Employment Fourth Preference class under INA 101(a)(27)(L) for certain retired NATO–6 civilian employees and spouse, unmarried sons or daughters of retired NATO–6 civilian employees, or surviving spouses of deceased NATO–6 civilian employees.

[3] Section 610 of the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 1993 (Pub. L. 102–395), as amended by Section 116 of the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 1998 (Pub. L. 105–119) and Section 402 of the Visa Waiver Permanent Program Act (Pub. L. 106–396), modified INA 203(b)(5) by creating a 10-year pilot program (October 1, 1993 through September 30, 2003) that sets aside up to 3,000 immigrant visas annually for aliens investing in qualifying regional centers in the United States for the promotion of economic growth.

[4] Pub. L. 99–639 (Immigration Marriage Fraud Amendments of 1986) established a conditional immigration status for persons whose basis for immigration is a marriage of the petitioner that was entered into less than 2 years prior to the applicant's admission to the United States as an immigrant.

Table III
Immigrant Visas Issued
(by Foreign State of Chargeability or Place of Birth)
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	Immediate Relatives	Returning Residents and Armed Forces Special Immigrants	Family Preference	Employment Preference	Diversity Immigrants	Total
Africa						
Algeria	104	0	16	34	411	565
Angola	12	0	8	4	3	27
Benin	3	0	3	4	25	35
Botswana	2	0	0	0	3	5
Burkina Faso	5	0	0	8	3	16
Burundi	7	0	1	0	1	9
Cameroon	92	0	15	26	345	478
Cape Verde	234	1	231	0	1	467
Central African Republic	2	0	0	0	2	4
Chad	4	0	2	0	15	21
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0	0
Congo, Republic of the	10	0	0	3	6	19
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	50	1	4	13	151	219
Cote d'Ivoire	110	0	21	22	63	216
Djibouti	5	0	0	0	4	9
Egypt	970	5	700	270	1,221	3,166
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	0	1	1
Eritrea	198	1	55	7	310	571
Ethiopia	878	1	306	31	3,445	4,661
Gabon	5	0	0	0	0	5
Gambia	40	0	12	3	10	65
Ghana	743	0	395	62	1,106	2,306
Guinea	33	0	4	1	34	72
Guinea-Bissau	3	0	0	6	0	9
Kenya	145	1	154	115	982	1,397
Lesotho	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberia	210	1	114	5	307	637
Libya	53	1	24	10	14	102
Madagascar	13	0	0	2	5	20
Malawi	4	0	7	2	10	23
Mali	18	0	3	4	11	36
Mauritania	6	0	0	4	9	19
Mauritius	7	0	6	11	9	33
Morocco	310	0	84	70	3,338	3,802
Mozambique	8	0	5	7	6	26
Namibia	9	0	0	10	1	20
Niger	3	0	0	0	10	13
Nigeria	1,589	1	512	340	2,818	5,260
Rwanda	3	0	1	6	40	50
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	0	1	0	1
Senegal	169	0	24	9	85	287
Seychelles	4	0	0	0	0	4
Sierra Leone	290	0	136	16	767	1,209
Somalia	148	1	4	7	376	536
South Africa	263	1	100	667	169	1,200
Sudan	194	0	29	31	828	1,082

Table III
Immigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
(by Foreign State of Chargeability or Place of Birth)
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	Immediate Relatives	Returning Residents and Armed Forces Special Immigrants	Family Preference	Employment Preference	Diversity Immigrants	Total
Africa–Continued						
Swaziland	2	0	0	1	0	3
Tanzania	58	0	55	22	106	241
Togo	18	0	5	5	440	468
Tunisia	59	0	2	18	34	113
Uganda	36	0	67	43	60	206
Zambia	25	0	35	22	50	132
Zimbabwe	31	1	13	47	30	122
Region Total for Africa	**7,185**	**16**	**3,153**	**1,969**	**17,665**	**29,988**
Asia						
Afghanistan	395	5	171	55	96	722
Bahrain	7	0	20	16	4	47
Bangladesh	1,713	2	1,648	254	1,506	5,123
Bhutan	1	0	0	1	0	2
Brunei	1	0	7	0	0	8
Burma	159	1	466	27	378	1,031
Cambodia	1,239	0	244	17	75	1,575
China–mainland born	12,668	31	7,671	2,777	0	23,147
–Taiwan born	967	9	3,146	1,443	0	5,565
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	272	4	2,663	410	67	3,416
India	7,644	141	14,309	5,947	0	28,041
Indonesia	328	9	135	124	183	779
Iran	2,764	15	1,833	868	502	5,982
Iraq	1,034	2	318	83	60	1,497
Israel	637	6	129	456	51	1,279
Japan	1,966	19	80	1,842	234	4,141
Jordan	2,115	2	1,226	103	43	3,489
Korea, North	93	2	17	11	0	123
Korea, South	3,359	37	1,644	1,372	0	6,412
Kuwait	239	0	216	85	21	561
Laos	104	4	73	7	4	192
Lebanon	1,315	7	1,217	276	45	2,860
Malaysia	177	6	150	167	26	526
Maldives	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mongolia	24	0	0	5	10	39
Nepal	57	5	41	138	265	506
Oman	5	0	6	7	2	20
Pakistan	3,533	42	4,828	1,009	2,423	11,835
Philippines	13,841	114	12,750	4,372	0	31,077
Qatar	22	0	15	5	3	45
Saudi Arabia	122	1	91	33	32	279
Singapore	98	0	38	138	23	297
Sri Lanka	166	1	187	186	244	784

Table III
Immigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
(by Foreign State of Chargeability or Place of Birth)
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	Immediate Relatives	Returning Residents and Armed Forces Special Immigrants	Family Preference	Employment Preference	Diversity Immigrants	Total
Asia–Continued						
Syria	769	6	813	304	40	1,932
Thailand	750	33	338	135	89	1,345
United Arab Emirates	41	1	148	46	33	269
Vietnam	8,638	8	9,447	115	0	18,634 [1]
Yemen	792	0	200	5	37	1,034
Region Total for Asia	**68,055**	**513**	**66,285**	**22,839**	**6,496**	**164,614** [1]
Europe						
Albania	484	0	149	26	3,461	4,120
Andorra	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armenia	217	0	5	80	314	616
Austria	89	0	17	81	40	227
Azerbaijan	109	0	6	10	135	260
Belarus	261	0	13	36	477	787
Belgium	97	0	11	149	23	280
Bosnia and Herzegovina	104	0	23	18	28	173
Bulgaria	610	2	28	116	2,338	3,094
Croatia	82	0	21	42	29	174
Cyprus	35	0	2	22	2	61
Czech Republic	184	4	9	48	43	288
Denmark	128	3	8	97	20	256
Greenland	1	0	0	0	0	1
Estonia	43	0	0	3	21	67
Finland	81	1	7	63	14	166
France	431	9	93	784	140	1,457
French Guiana	0	0	0	1	0	1
French Polynesia	1	0	0	0	0	1
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guadeloupe	20	0	9	3	0	32
Martinique	0	0	1	1	0	2
New Caledonia	2	0	0	0	1	3
Reunion	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Pierre and Miquelon	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallis and Futuna	0	0	0	0	0	0
Georgia	97	0	4	14	109	224
Germany	1,446	11	105	989	705	3,256
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	1,777	38	471	3,261	0	5,547
Anguilla	9	0	41	0	0	50
Bermuda	27	0	5	7	0	39
British Virgin Islands	6	0	15	0	0	21
Cayman Islands	1	0	2	3	0	6
Falkland Islands	1	0	0	0	0	1
Gibraltar	2	0	0	0	0	2

Table III
Immigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
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Foreign State	Immediate Relatives	Returning Residents and Armed Forces Special Immigrants	Family Preference	Employment Preference	Diversity Immigrants	Total
Europe–Continued						
Montserrat	6	1	8	2	0	17
Pitcairn	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Helena	1	0	0	0	0	1
Turks and Caicos Islands	1	0	2	0	0	3
Northern Ireland (DV only)	0	0	0	0	16	16
Greece	247	6	53	81	31	418
Hungary	203	0	24	65	77	369
Iceland	33	2	2	14	6	57
Ireland	144	5	13	138	80	380
Italy	350	5	84	322	43	804
Kazakhstan	790	1	4	15	226	1,036
Kyrgyzstan	27	0	2	4	62	95
Latvia	84	1	4	15	89	193
Liechtenstein	0	0	0	1	0	1
Lithuania	140	1	30	16	878	1,065
Luxembourg	9	0	1	2	0	12
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of	357	1	148	30	124	660
Malta	14	0	3	9	0	26
Moldova	143	0	7	22	147	319
Monaco	0	0	0	1	0	1
Netherlands	233	3	17	267	22	542
Aruba	2	0	3	0	0	5
Netherlands Antilles	7	0	22	10	0	39
Norway	130	0	7	46	5	188
Poland	1,178	36	3,062	448	0	4,724
Portugal	127	3	243	78	9	460
Macau [2]	15	0	91	16	2	124
Romania	1,927	10	221	216	1,834	4,208
Russia	5,567	12	59	368	1,227	7,233
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovakia	115	0	21	27	212	375
Slovenia	8	0	3	2	1	14
Spain	272	9	14	137	12	444
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	261	1	14	232	43	551
Switzerland	139	2	18	202	69	430
Tajikistan	11	0	0	0	25	36
Turkey	563	15	132	363	531	1,604
Turkmenistan	11	0	0	3	19	33
Ukraine	1,973	3	67	166	2,361	4,570
Uzbekistan	125	0	5	31	418	579
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yugoslavia [3]	321	1	137	76	252	787
Region Total for Europe	**21,879**	**186**	**5,566**	**9,279**	**16,721**	**53,631**

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Immigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
(by Foreign State of Chargeability or Place of Birth)
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Foreign State	Immediate Relatives	Returning Residents and Armed Forces Special Immigrants	Family Preference	Employment Preference	Diversity Immigrants	Total
North America						
Antigua and Barbuda	56	0	152	4	0	212
Bahamas	46	0	17	10	11	84
Barbados	85	1	118	25	0	229
Belize	99	2	166	9	0	276
Canada	951	2	475	3,509	0	4,937
Costa Rica	297	0	67	19	8	391
Cuba	842	3	2,205	48	456	3,554
Dominica	119	1	329	5	12	466
Dominican Republic	5,514	11	9,053	28	0	14,606
El Salvador	3,115	2	2,633	674	0	6,424
Grenada	94	2	150	11	0	257
Guatemala	2,715	0	913	141	17	3,786
Haiti	4,414	8	8,998	67	0	13,487
Honduras	1,658	0	1,221	108	20	3,007
Jamaica	3,339	5	4,832	228	0	8,404
Mexico	36,593	2	25,458	975	0	63,028
Nicaragua	541	0	357	26	4	928
Panama	309	14	255	118	1	697
Saint Kitts and Nevis	72	0	202	3	1	278
Saint Lucia	104	0	248	7	0	359
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	85	0	139	18	1	243
Trinidad and Tobago	766	10	1,476	202	44	2,498
Region Total for North America	**61,814**	**63**	**59,464**	**6,235**	**575**	**128,151**
Oceania						
Australia	530	5	47	464	125	1,171
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cocos Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiji	224	6	391	9	462	1,092
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	1	0	0	1
Nauru	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	222	3	27	127	121	500
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niue	1	0	0	0	0	1
Palau	1	0	0	0	0	1
Papua New Guinea	5	0	0	2	1	8
Samoa	25	2	15	1	3	46
Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	36	1	51	8	11	107
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Foreign State	Immediate Relatives	Returning Residents and Armed Forces Special Immigrants	Family Preference	Employment Preference	Diversity Immigrants	Total
Oceania–Continued						
Region Total for Oceania	**1,044**	**17**	**532**	**611**	**723**	**2,927**
South America						
Argentina	283	6	145	329	34	797
Bolivia	282	8	167	166	13	636
Brazil	861	11	173	505	171	1,721
Chile	314	3	147	76	3	543
Colombia	3,257	9	1,840	258	0	5,364
Ecuador	2,847	13	2,024	256	331	5,471
Guyana	1,523	5	4,646	77	8	6,259
Paraguay	68	0	25	28	7	128
Peru	2,134	8	1,725	288	556	4,711
Suriname	18	0	67	13	4	102
Uruguay	46	1	63	13	4	127
Venezuela	477	4	182	187	60	910
Region Total for South America	**12,110**	**68**	**11,204**	**2,196**	**1,191**	**26,769**
Grand Totals	**172,087**	**863**	**146,204**	**43,129**	**43,371**	**406,080** [1]

[1] Includes visas issued under the Vietnam Amerasian category. During FY–2001, 426 such visas were issued; the foreign state breakdown is: Vietnam, 426.

[2] Effective December 20, 1999, Macau was returned to Chinese administration and was designated as the Special Administrative Region of Macau. Title II (United States-Macau Policy Act of 2000) of Pub. L. 106–570 (Assistance for International Malaria Control Act) enacted December 27, 2000 provides that, notwithstanding any change in the exercise of sovereignty over Macau, the laws of the United States shall continue to apply with respect to Macau in the same manner as before December 20, 1999.

[3] On November 17, 2000, the United States Government established diplomatic relations with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, recognizing it as an independent state. The former practice of using Serbia and Montenegro for the name of this entity was discontinued.

Table IV
Summary of Visas Issued by Issuing Office
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Issuing Office	Immigrant Visas: Issued	Immigrant Visas: Replaced	Immigrant Visas: Total	Nonimmigrant Visas: Issued[1]	Nonimmigrant Visas: Combination B1/B2 Visas and Border Crossing Cards
Department of State–Visa Office	**0**	**0**	**0**	**61,140**	**0**
U.S. Mission to the United Nations	**0**	**0**	**0**	**5,661**	**0**
Africa					
Angola, Luanda	0	0	0	3,425	0
Benin, Cotonou	10	0	10	828	0
Botswana, Gaborone	0	0	0	2,238	0
Burkina Faso, Ouagadougou	16	0	16	1,636	0
Burundi, Bujumbura	0	0	0	625	0
Cameroon, Yaounde	580	0	580	5,359	0
Cape Verde, Praia	449	0	449	5,581	0
Central African Republic, Bangui	0	0	0	579	0
Chad, N'Djamena	0	0	0	363	0
Congo, Democratic Republic of the, Kinshasa	23	0	23	3,656	0
Cote d'Ivoire, Abidjan	1,042	0	1,042	5,576	0
Djibouti, Djibouti	22	0	22	524	0
Eritrea, Asmara	0	0	0	695	0
Ethiopia, Addis Ababa	4,829	0	4,829	4,965	0
Gabon, Libreville	14	0	14	1,593	0
Gambia, Banjul	0	0	0	2,538	0
Ghana, Accra	2,201	0	2,201	13,304	0
Guinea, Conakry	0	0	0	4,641	0
Kenya, Nairobi	1,566	10	1,576	20,256	0
Lesotho, Maseru	0	0	0	552	0
Liberia, Monrovia	535	0	535	2,649	0
Madagascar, Antananarivo	19	0	19	885	0
Malawi, Lilongwe	6	0	6	1,376	0
Mali, Bamako	0	0	0	5,029	0
Mauritania, Nouakchott	0	0	0	1,290	0
Mauritius, Port Louis	0	0	0	1,807	0
Mozambique, Maputo	0	0	0	1,104	0
Namibia, Windhoek	0	0	0	1,086	0
Niger, Niamey	2	0	2	1,412	0
Nigeria, Lagos	5,059	0	5,059	34,733	0
Rwanda, Kigali	0	0	0	840	0
Senegal, Dakar	869	0	869	8,581	0
South Africa, Cape Town	0	0	0	16,394	0
Durban	0	0	0	8,930	0
Johannesburg	1,243	0	1,243	36,108	0
Pretoria	0	0	0	780	0
Swaziland, Mbabane	0	0	0	481	0
Tanzania, Dar Es Salaam	183	1	184	5,743	0
Togo, Lome	474	0	474	2,735	0
Uganda, Kampala	0	0	0	3,474	0
Zambia, Lusaka	100	0	100	5,469	0
Zimbabwe, Harare	82	0	82	5,614	0

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Issuing Office	Immigrant Visas			Nonimmigrant Visas	
	Issued	Replaced	Total	Issued[1]	Combination B1/B2 Visas and Border Crossing Cards
Africa–Continued					
Region Total for Africa	**19,324**	**11**	**19,335**	**225,454**	**0**
East Asia and Pacific					
Australia, Canberra	0	0	0	1,938	0
Melbourne	0	0	0	10,798	0
Perth	151	0	151	3,143	0
Sydney	1,541	0	1,541	24,045	0
Brunei, Bandar Seri Begawan	0	0	0	728	0
Burma, Rangoon	793	0	793	3,550	0
Cambodia, Phnom Penh	1,399	0	1,399	4,177	0
China, Beijing	0	0	0	124,332	0
Chengdu	0	0	0	16,801	0
Guangzhou	20,052	0	20,052	67,913	0
Shanghai	0	0	0	65,744	0
Shenyang	0	0	0	20,249	0
Fiji, Suva	1,184	0	1,184	6,459	0
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, Hong Kong	5,555	2,532	8,087	86,912	0
Indonesia, Jakarta	665	0	665	52,129	0
Surabaya	0	0	0	10,433	0
Japan, Naha	345	0	345	992	0
Osaka-Kobe	0	0	0	45,390	0
Tokyo	4,312	0	4,312	93,019	0
Korea, Seoul	6,134	0	6,134	406,973	0
Laos, Vientiane	143	0	143	2,332	0
Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur	462	0	462	45,095	0
Marshall Islands, Majuro	0	0	0	576	0
Micronesia, Federated States of, Kolonia	0	0	0	401	0
Mongolia, Ulaanbaatar	0	0	0	3,102	0
New Zealand, Auckland	588	0	588	15,417	0
Palau, Koror	0	0	0	333	0
Papua New Guinea, Port Moresby	9	0	9	1,044	0
Philippines, Manila	29,738	0	29,738	166,485	0
Singapore, Singapore	555	0	555	22,701	0
Thailand, Bangkok	1,316	0	1,316	57,389	0
Chiang Mai	0	0	0	1,858	0
Vietnam, Hanoi	0	0	0	2,772	0
Ho Chi Minh City	17,757	0	17,757	15,297	0
Taipei [2]	6,249	0	6,249	235,526	0
Region Total for East Asia and Pacific	**98,948**	**2,532**	**101,480**	**1,616,053**	**0**

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Issuing Office	Immigrant Visas: Issued	Immigrant Visas: Replaced	Immigrant Visas: Total	Nonimmigrant Visas: Issued[1]	Nonimmigrant Visas: Combination B1/B2 Visas and Border Crossing Cards
Europe					
Albania, Tirana	3,976	0	3,976	5,745	0
Armenia, Yerevan	0	0	0	10,748	0
Austria, Vienna	400	0	400	10,107	0
Azerbaijan, Baku	0	0	0	2,353	0
Belarus, Minsk	0	0	0	7,108	0
Belgium, Brussels	412	0	412	9,522	0
Bermuda, Hamilton	63	0	63	1,271	0
Bosnia and Herzegovina, Sarajevo	0	0	0	6,821	0
Bulgaria, Sofia	3,020	0	3,020	20,095	0
Croatia, Zagreb	288	0	288	16,136	0
Cyprus, Nicosia	569	0	569	8,590	0
Czech Republic, Prague	629	0	629	40,141	0
Denmark, Copenhagen	262	0	262	10,264	0
Estonia, Tallinn	0	0	0	6,713	0
Finland, Helsinki	220	0	220	6,072	0
France, Paris	1,819	0	1,819	63,098	0
Georgia, Tbilisi	0	0	0	3,681	0
Germany, Berlin	0	0	0	33,863	0
Frankfurt	4,451	12	4,463	58,044	0
Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Belfast	0	0	0	3,120	0
London	6,975	0	6,975	135,153	0
Greece, Athens	629	0	629	38,540	0
Hungary, Budapest	955	0	955	43,923	0
Iceland, Reykjavik	67	0	67	1,970	0
Ireland, Dublin	372	0	372	20,610	0
Italy, Milan	0	0	0	18,694	0
Naples	1,087	0	1,087	2,695	0
Rome	0	0	0	9,641	0
Kazakhstan, Almaty	0	0	0	5,300	0
Kyrgyzstan, Bishkek	0	0	0	1,563	0
Latvia, Riga	0	0	0	10,282	0
Lithuania, Vilnius	0	0	0	19,891	0
Luxembourg, Luxembourg	0	0	0	1,406	0
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of, Skopje	774	0	774	6,084	0
Malta, Valletta	47	0	47	4,703	0
Moldova, Chisinau	0	0	0	1,887	0
Netherlands, Amsterdam	647	0	647	21,140	0
Norway, Oslo	222	0	222	7,977	0
Poland, Krakow	0	0	0	33,052	0
Warsaw	11,011	0	11,011	70,058	0
Portugal, Lisbon	370	0	370	5,117	0
Ponta Delgada	111	0	111	321	0
Romania, Bucharest	4,263	73	4,336	29,795	0
Russia, Moscow	9,208	8	9,216	66,402	0
St. Petersburg	0	0	0	13,124	0

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Issuing Office	Immigrant Visas: Issued	Immigrant Visas: Replaced	Immigrant Visas: Total	Nonimmigrant Visas: Issued[1]	Nonimmigrant Visas: Combination B1/B2 Visas and Border Crossing Cards
Europe–Continued					
Vladivostok	0	0	0	4,175	0
Yekaterinburg	0	0	0	3,960	0
Slovakia, Bratislava	0	0	0	18,180	0
Slovenia, Ljubljana	0	0	0	1,764	0
Spain, Madrid	538	0	538	24,378	0
Sweden, Stockholm	708	0	708	17,340	0
Switzerland, Bern	547	1	548	26,715	0
Turkey, Ankara	3,928	0	3,928	26,765	0
Istanbul	0	0	0	36,541	0
Turkmenistan, Ashgabat	0	0	0	752	0
Ukraine, Kiev	0	0	0	22,957	0
Uzbekistan, Tashkent	0	0	0	6,155	0
Region Total for Europe	**58,568**	**94**	**58,662**	**1,082,502**	**0**
Near East					
Algeria, Algiers	103	0	103	3,909	0
Bahrain, Manama	116	0	116	5,116	0
Egypt, Cairo	3,561	0	3,561	47,366	0
Israel, Tel Aviv	1,856	5	1,861	132,202	0
Jerusalem	1,862	3	1,865	19,854	0
Jordan, Amman	3,343	0	3,343	19,282	0
Kuwait, Kuwait	525	0	525	16,894	0
Lebanon, Beirut	0	0	0	14,874	0
Morocco, Casablanca	3,718	4	3,722	15,003	0
Oman, Muscat	196	0	196	4,721	0
Qatar, Doha	178	0	178	5,881	0
Saudi Arabia, Jeddah	0	0	0	24,587	0
Riyadh	1,485	0	1,485	45,410	0
Syria, Damascus	3,966	0	3,966	15,933	0
Tunisia, Tunis	485	1	486	5,850	0
United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi [3]	3,332	0	3,332	20,654	0
Abu Dhabi–Beirut Files [3]	25	0	25	0	0
Dubai	0	0	0	22,270	0
Yemen, Sanaa	1,273	0	1,273	1,627	0
Region Total for Near East	**26,024**	**13**	**26,037**	**421,433**	**0**
South Asia					
Bangladesh, Dhaka	4,955	0	4,955	13,458	0
India, Calcutta	121	0	121	17,289	0
Chennai	5,826	0	5,826	137,556	0
Mumbai	12,517	0	12,517	102,249	0

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Issuing Office	Immigrant Visas			Nonimmigrant Visas	
	Issued	Replaced	Total	Issued[1]	Combination B1/B2 Visas and Border Crossing Cards
South Asia–Continued					
New Delhi	7,688	0	7,688	74,863	0
Nepal, Kathmandu	515	1	516	5,967	0
Pakistan, Islamabad	11,922	0	11,922	53,482	0
Sri Lanka, Colombo	644	0	644	7,609	0
Region Total for South Asia	**44,188**	**1**	**44,189**	**412,473**	**0**
Western Hemisphere					
Argentina, Buenos Aires	962	0	962	17,115	0
Bahamas, Nassau	110	0	110	23,558	0
Barbados, Bridgetown	2,197	0	2,197	27,771	0
Belize, Belize City	298	0	298	10,816	0
Bolivia, La Paz	636	0	636	16,021	0
Brazil, Brasilia	0	0	0	22,706	0
Recife	0	0	0	16,262	0
Rio de Janeiro	1,729	0	1,729	80,827	0
Sao Paulo	0	0	0	113,934	0
Canada, Calgary	0	0	0	4,754	0
Halifax	0	0	0	2,089	0
Montreal	9,073	0	9,073	17,026	0
Ottawa	0	0	0	6,907	0
Quebec	0	0	0	736	0
Toronto	0	0	0	47,473	0
Vancouver	0	0	0	27,576	0
Chile, Santiago	525	0	525	63,143	0
Colombia, Bogota	5,135	0	5,135	186,629	0
Costa Rica, San Jose	481	0	481	48,806	0
Cuba, Havana	3,385	36	3,421	24,686	0
Dominican Republic, Santo Domingo	14,607	0	14,607	51,864	0
Ecuador, Guayaquil	5,489	0	5,489	33,744	0
Quito	0	0	0	35,734	0
El Salvador, San Salvador	6,393	0	6,393	96,046	0
Guatemala, Guatemala City	3,797	0	3,797	71,902	0
Guyana, Georgetown	5,978	0	5,978	11,256	0
Haiti, Port-au-Prince	13,441	3	13,444	19,744	0
Honduras, Tegucigalpa	3,004	0	3,004	34,511	0
Jamaica, Kingston	8,265	0	8,265	71,718	0
Mexico, Ciudad Juarez	63,266	0	63,266	336,290	300,972
Guadalajara	0	0	0	171,510	159,344
Hermosillo	0	0	0	121,947	113,348
Matamoros	0	0	0	193,026	189,619
Merida	0	0	0	22,384	17,771
Mexico City	0	0	0	335,225	289,782
Monterrey	0	0	0	307,645	236,348

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Issuing Office	Immigrant Visas			Nonimmigrant Visas	
	Issued	Replaced	Total	Issued[1]	Combination B1/B2 Visas and Border Crossing Cards
Western Hemisphere–Continued					
Nogales	0	0	0	144,916	143,248
Nuevo Laredo	0	0	0	279,833	217,751
Tijuana [4]	0	0	0	330,136	322,219
Nicaragua, Managua	891	0	891	13,067	0
Panama, Panama City	730	3	733	23,193	0
Paraguay, Asuncion	229	1	230	7,553	0
Peru, Lima	4,612	0	4,612	102,531	0
Suriname, Paramaribo	104	0	104	2,313	0
Trinidad and Tobago, Port of Spain	2,435	0	2,435	54,410	0
Uruguay, Montevideo	117	0	117	2,646	0
Venezuela, Caracas	1,139	0	1,139	130,083	0
Region Total for Western Hemisphere	**159,028**	**43**	**159,071**	**3,764,062**	**1,990,402**
Grand Totals	**406,080**	**2,694**	**408,774**	**7,588,778**	**1,990,402**

[1] Figures include B1/B2/BCC nonimmigrant visa issuances.

[2] The Taipei office of the American Institute in Taiwan, although an unofficial instrumentality, has been authorized to process visa applications for residents of Taiwan.

[3] Beirut immigrant visa files were combined with Abu Dhabi's immigrant visa files during Fiscal Year 2001 and subsequently reported as part of Abu Dhabi's immigrant visa workload.

[4] Includes combination B–1/B–2 visitor visa/Border Crossing Card issuances processed at the Mexicali and Tijuana Temporary Processing Facilities.

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Table V (Part I)
Immigrant Visas Issued and Adjustments of Status
Subject to Numerical Limitations
Fiscal Year 2001

	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences			
Foreign State	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Pref. Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers
Africa												
Algeria	2	0	16	16	5	3	2	28	24	27	48	0
Angola	1	0	3	3	4	0	2	10	2	1	8	0
Benin	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	3	4	1	6	0
Botswana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	0
Burkina Faso	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	0
Burundi	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0
Cameroon	7	1	9	10	4	0	0	21	21	23	31	2
Cape Verde	41	16	55	71	88	25	41	266	0	0	6	0
Central African Republic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Chad	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Congo, Republic of the	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	4	12	5	7	1
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	5	0	0	0	3	0	0	8	4	9	3	0
Cote d'Ivoire	12	0	9	9	4	0	6	31	9	10	30	0
Djibouti	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Egypt	41	7	52	59	47	65	594	806	207	122	391	1
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eritrea	9	5	39	44	8	0	6	67	4	0	3	0
Ethiopia	51	11	230	241	50	7	27	376	12	14	41	7
Gabon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0
Gambia	7	3	8	11	0	3	0	21	4	0	25	5
Ghana	177	10	119	129	46	57	65	474	21	36	109	7
Guinea	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	4	0	4	10	1
Guinea-Bissau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kenya	18	3	22	25	4	9	134	190	68	52	194	8
Lesotho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberia	121	10	29	39	6	8	31	205	4	3	19	2
Libya	0	0	1	1	5	4	15	25	4	16	18	0
Madagascar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	4	0
Malawi	1	0	0	0	0	4	2	7	6	9	8	0
Mali	2	0	2	2	0	1	0	5	0	3	10	0
Mauritania	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3	4	5	0
Mauritius	0	1	0	1	0	1	5	7	13	4	12	0
Morocco	16	2	30	32	41	5	6	100	50	33	134	8
Mozambique	5	0	0	0	1	0	3	9	6	1	7	2
Namibia	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	1	18	0
Niger	2	1	0	1	1	0	0	4	1	0	7	0
Nigeria	177	43	194	237	46	57	103	620	137	149	543	5
Rwanda	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	0
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Senegal	8	1	17	18	1	2	2	31	12	5	29	0
Seychelles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sierra Leone	96	5	23	28	5	18	28	175	5	1	46	7

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Employment Preferences

Foreign State	3rd Total	4th	4th Certain Religious Workers	4th Total	5th Employ. Creation	5th Target Employ. Areas	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
Africa											
Algeria	48	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	104	132
Angola	8	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	16	26
Benin	6	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	13	16
Botswana	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7
Burkina Faso	11	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	12	12
Burundi	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Cameroon	33	14	1	15	0	0	0	0	0	92	113
Cape Verde	6	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	273
Central African Republic	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Chad	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Congo, Republic of the	8	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	28	32
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	3	2	9	11	0	0	0	0	0	27	35
Cote d'Ivoire	30	2	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	54	85
Djibouti	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Egypt	392	119	18	137	0	0	0	0	0	858	1,664
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eritrea	3	6	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	15	82
Ethiopia	48	31	7	38	0	0	0	0	0	112	488
Gabon	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Gambia	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	55
Ghana	116	54	13	67	0	0	0	0	0	240	714
Guinea	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	19
Guinea-Bissau	0	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
Kenya	202	66	25	91	0	0	0	0	0	413	603
Lesotho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberia	21	16	5	21	0	0	0	0	0	49	254
Libya	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	63
Madagascar	4	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	11	11
Malawi	8	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	24	31
Mali	10	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	14	19
Mauritania	5	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	14	15
Mauritius	12	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	31	38
Morocco	142	13	5	18	0	0	0	0	0	243	343
Mozambique	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	25
Namibia	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	23
Niger	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	9	13
Nigeria	548	92	67	159	1	0	0	0	1	994	1,614
Rwanda	4	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	10	11
Sao Tome and Principe	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Senegal	29	8	4	12	0	0	0	0	0	58	89
Seychelles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sierra Leone	53	10	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	69	244

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	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences			
Foreign State	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Pref. Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers
Africa–Continued												
Somalia	4	4	4	8	1	4	2	19	0	8	8	0
South Africa	34	2	5	7	12	34	67	154	779	127	1,492	4
Sudan	10	1	17	18	1	0	3	32	18	28	9	0
Swaziland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0
Tanzania	7	3	5	8	3	2	55	75	29	9	46	3
Togo	2	0	3	3	0	0	0	5	1	5	6	0
Tunisia	1	0	0	0	3	0	1	5	14	21	22	0
Uganda	5	0	1	1	0	11	54	71	25	22	55	3
Zambia	2	0	2	2	2	4	30	40	30	13	44	2
Zimbabwe	6	0	2	2	3	2	7	20	44	19	101	1
Region Total for Africa	**873**	**130**	**904**	**1,034**	**395**	**327**	**1,295**	**3,924**	**1,581**	**789**	**3,585**	**69**
Asia												
Afghanistan	62	11	32	43	38	44	24	211	5	1	61	1
Bahrain	3	0	2	2	0	3	15	23	7	8	36	0
Bangladesh	63	32	578	610	184	98	809	1,764	111	338	711	17
Bhutan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brunei	3	0	0	0	0	0	6	9	1	2	3	0
Burma	27	1	26	27	33	58	352	497	11	25	49	3
Cambodia	28	2	28	30	20	48	274	440	4	4	20	2
China–mainland born	615	149	1,074	1,223	857	1,445	4,341	8,481	6,482	11,666	4,604	294
–PRC nationals adjusting under CSPA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
–Taiwan born	275	57	140	197	262	386	2,730	3,850	943	1,788	2,048	23
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	185	29	89	118	176	150	2,239	2,868	230	233	862	23
India	392	119	922	1,041	443	1,088	11,950	14,914	3,543	21,355	16,339	66
Indonesia	21	20	25	45	17	14	120	217	109	91	272	7
Iran	318	60	162	222	344	172	1,196	2,252	204	290	1,276	14
Iraq	78	10	21	31	74	104	89	376	26	27	138	0
Israel	84	12	13	25	20	55	92	276	533	156	578	8
Japan	24	60	79	139	19	20	25	227	1,836	243	1,542	9
Jordan	78	47	142	189	144	238	709	1,358	53	58	226	4
Korea, North	1	0	2	2	0	0	14	17	0	0	4	3
Korea, South	289	167	379	546	259	354	1,469	2,917	1,737	613	3,981	815
Kuwait	54	1	19	20	69	44	86	273	26	43	148	1
Laos	31	7	12	19	12	30	32	124	4	2	11	0
Lebanon	220	16	116	132	240	172	730	1,494	73	103	411	9
Malaysia	18	16	30	46	28	1	151	244	149	132	605	8
Maldives	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mongolia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	21	0

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Employment Preferences

Foreign State	3rd Total	4th	4th Certain Religious Workers	4th Total	5th Employ. Creation	5th Target Employ. Areas	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
Africa–Continued											
Somalia	8	3	5	8	0	0	0	0	0	24	43
South Africa	1 496	61	38	99	7	0	0	0	7	2,508	2,662
Sudan	9	9	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	65	97
Swaziland	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
Tanzania	49	7	5	12	0	0	0	0	0	99	174
Togo	6	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	13	18
Tunisia	22	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	58	63
Uganda	58	4	3	7	2	0	0	0	2	114	185
Zambia	46	12	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	101	141
Zimbabwe	102	12	6	18	0	0	0	0	0	183	203
Region Total for Africa	**3,654**	**573**	**226**	**799**	**10**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**10**	**6,833**	**10,757**
Asia											
Afghanistan	62	6	4	10	2	0	0	0	2	80	291
Bahrain	36	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	54	77
Bangladesh	728	29	16	45	0	0	0	0	0	1,222	2,986
Bhutan	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Brunei	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	15
Burma	52	24	10	34	0	0	0	0	0	122	619
Cambodia	22	18	14	32	0	0	0	0	0	62	502
China–mainland born	4,898	48	16	64	20	12	0	0	32	23,142	31,623
–PRC nationals adjusting under CSPA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
–Taiwan born	2,071	113	54	167	31	24	0	0	55	5,024	8,874
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	885	27	4	31	6	0	0	0	6	1,385	4,253
India	16,405	270	136	406	6	5	0	0	11	41,720	56,634
Indonesia	279	43	10	53	0	1	0	0	1	533	750
Iran	1,290	8	13	21	0	1	0	0	1	1,806	4,058
Iraq	138	8	6	14	0	5	0	0	5	210	586
Israel	586	9	81	90	0	1	0	0	1	1,366	1,642
Japan	1,551	51	54	105	1	1	0	0	2	3,737	3,964
Jordan	230	15	3	18	0	0	0	0	0	359	1,717
Korea, North	7	2	4	6	1	0	0	0	1	14	31
Korea, South	4,796	761	885	1,646	3	8	0	0	11	8,803	11,720
Kuwait	149	5	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	224	497
Laos	11	5	4	9	0	0	0	0	0	26	150
Lebanon	420	28	8	36	0	0	0	0	0	632	2,126
Malaysia	613	11	10	21	0	0	0	0	0	915	1,159
Maldives	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mongolia	21	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	30	30

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Foreign State	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences			
	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Pref. Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers
Asia–Continued												
Nepal	11	0	19	19	1	8	17	56	38	52	349	11
Oman	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	6	3	5	6	0
Pakistan	345	138	626	764	339	510	3,212	5,170	336	594	2,222	34
Philippines	1,506	188	2,280	2,468	2,381	3,066	4,136	13,557	316	281	11,199	493
Qatar	1	0	6	6	2	0	7	16	3	11	14	0
Saudi Arabia	7	1	14	15	6	8	69	105	43	49	112	2
Singapore	2	3	4	7	5	5	32	51	200	95	215	1
Sri Lanka	16	2	8	10	8	20	162	216	87	130	416	41
Syria	87	4	57	61	114	87	569	918	36	106	357	6
Thailand	106	16	30	46	69	20	225	466	41	60	280	9
United Arab Emirates	3	6	2	8	5	3	134	153	12	13	85	0
Vietnam	1,293	85	701	786	353	990	8,151	11,573	60	37	161	0
Yemen	100	6	23	29	5	77	22	233	6	3	15	1
Region Total for Asia	**6,386**	**1,265**	**7,661**	**8,926**	**6,527**	**9,319**	**44,194**	**75,352**	**17,276**	**38,614**	**49,377**	**1,905**
Europe												
Albania	25	4	29	33	0	112	0	170	15	4	38	1
Andorra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armenia	16	21	6	27	2	8	1	54	62	16	164	0
Austria	1	0	3	3	0	5	14	23	121	21	65	0
Azerbaijan	11	0	1	1	0	0	1	13	22	13	16	0
Belarus	6	1	11	12	0	2	1	21	46	55	86	1
Belgium	5	2	0	2	0	5	11	23	244	35	87	0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	3	0	3	3	4	0	21	31	18	12	35	0
Bulgaria	20	2	8	10	1	17	1	49	163	107	281	0
Croatia	5	0	5	5	0	5	18	33	28	48	63	2
Cyprus	1	1	1	2	0	1	5	9	17	16	42	1
Czech Republic	8	0	4	4	1	2	2	17	63	35	60	1
Denmark	0	13	3	16	1	1	6	24	159	34	58	0
Greenland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	13	3	16	1	1	6	24	159	34	58	0
Estonia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4	13	0
Finland	0	0	5	5	1	1	2	9	114	18	43	0
France	33	8	23	31	5	45	31	145	1,173	247	485	9
French Guiana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
French Polynesia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guadeloupe	7	2	5	7	0	0	2	16	2	1	3	1
Martinique	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0
New Caledonia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Employment Preferences

Foreign State	3rd Total	4th	4th Certain Religious Workers	4th Total	5th Employ. Creation	5th Target Employ. Areas	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
Asia–Continued											
Nepal	360	9	3	12	0	0	0	0	0	462	518
Oman	6	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	15	21
Pakistan	2,256	119	54	173	4	5	0	0	9	3,368	8,538
Philippines	11,692	272	140	412	4	3	0	0	7	12,708	26,265
Qatar	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	44
Saudi Arabia	114	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	207	312
Singapore	216	5	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	519	570
Sri Lanka	457	34	5	39	0	0	0	0	0	713	929
Syria	363	21	22	43	0	0	0	0	0	548	1,466
Thailand	289	32	25	57	0	0	0	0	0	447	913
United Arab Emirates	85	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	110	263
Vietnam	161	9	12	21	0	0	0	0	0	279	11,852
Yemen	16	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	26	259
Region Total for Asia	**51,282**	**1,985**	**1,602**	**3,587**	**78**	**66**	**0**	**0**	**144**	**110,903**	**186,255**
Europe											
Albania	39	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	61	231
Andorra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armenia	164	8	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	251	305
Austria	65	6	3	9	0	0	0	0	0	216	239
Azerbaijan	16	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	52	65
Belarus	87	5	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	194	215
Belgium	87	13	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	379	402
Bosnia and Herzegovina	35	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	67	98
Bulgaria	281	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	552	601
Croatia	65	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	144	177
Cyprus	43	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	77	86
Czech Republic	61	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	159	176
Denmark	58	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	257	281
Greenland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	58	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	257	281
Estonia	13	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	21	21
Finland	43	6	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	183	192
France	494	20	7	27	0	0	0	0	0	1,941	2,086
French Guiana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
French Polynesia	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guadeloupe	4	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	24
Martinique	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	4
New Caledonia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Foreign State	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences			
	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Pref. Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers
Europe–Continued												
Reunion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Pierre and Miquelon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallis and Futuna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	41	10	28	38	5	45	33	162	1,177	248	490	10
Georgia	0	1	1	2	1	3	0	6	24	11	44	0
Germany	36	16	29	45	8	42	30	161	1,615	378	657	7
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	157	29	55	84	41	139	281	702	5,055	642	3,002	12
Anguilla	1	0	2	2	0	0	39	42	1	0	0	0
Bermuda	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	7	4	2	7	0
British Virgin Islands	1	0	1	1	0	0	15	17	1	0	0	3
Cayman Islands	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Falkland Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gibraltar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Montserrat	6	0	2	2	2	0	5	15	0	0	7	0
Pitcairn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Helena	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turks and Caicos Islands	3	0	1	1	1	0	2	7	0	0	0	0
Total	170	29	62	91	45	139	347	792	5,062	644	3,017	15
Greece	17	5	8	13	9	19	33	91	85	74	114	2
Hungary	8	0	7	7	2	3	14	34	91	36	139	3
Iceland	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	5	22	9	12	0
Ireland	6	3	3	6	3	0	11	26	235	22	115	3
Italy	40	19	18	37	18	21	62	178	380	106	386	3
Kazakhstan	0	0	3	3	0	2	0	5	49	11	32	1
Kyrgyzstan	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	5	0	0	0
Latvia	4	0	3	3	0	0	0	7	12	8	59	0
Liechtenstein	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Lithuania	5	0	6	6	0	24	1	36	24	6	52	0
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	10	0	1	0
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of	7	18	15	33	8	26	108	182	11	3	67	0
Malta	0	0	4	4	1	0	0	5	13	3	5	0
Moldova	7	0	2	2	0	0	2	11	28	9	31	0
Monaco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Netherlands	6	2	3	5	1	7	12	31	398	76	196	0
Aruba	1	1	0	1	1	0	2	5	1	0	0	2
Netherlands Antilles	5	0	0	0	0	5	13	23	4	0	8	0
Total	12	3	3	6	2	12	27	59	403	76	204	2
Norway	2	0	1	1	2	2	3	10	87	18	23	0
Poland	394	142	666	808	132	1,900	557	3,791	212	135	2,004	100
Portugal	10	35	37	72	20	12	243	357	41	14	437	43
Macau [1]	9	1	2	3	3	2	74	91	1	5	29	0

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Employment Preferences

Foreign State	3rd Total	4th	4th Certain Religious Workers	4th Total	5th Employ. Creation	5th Target Employ. Areas	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
Europe–Continued											
Reunion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Pierre and Miquelon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallis and Futuna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	500	22	7	29	0	0	0	0	0	1,954	2,116
Georgia	44	1	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	84	90
Germany	664	37	31	68	1	3	0	0	4	2,729	2,890
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	3,014	86	46	132	3	2	0	0	5	8,848	9,550
Anguilla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	43
Bermuda	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	20
British Virgin Islands	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	21
Cayman Islands	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	5
Falkland Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gibraltar	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Montserrat	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	8	23
Pitcairn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Helena	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turks and Caicos Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Total	3,032	86	49	135	3	2	0	0	5	8,878	9,670
Greece	116	7	12	19	0	0	0	0	0	294	385
Hungary	142	13	6	19	0	0	0	0	0	288	322
Iceland	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43	48
Ireland	118	18	8	26	0	0	0	0	0	401	427
Italy	389	14	22	36	0	0	0	0	0	911	1,089
Kazakhstan	33	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	95	100
Kyrgyzstan	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	10	12
Latvia	59	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	80	87
Liechtenstein	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Lithuania	52	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	85	121
Luxembourg	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	12
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of	67	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	84	266
Malta	5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	22	27
Moldova	31	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	68	79
Monaco	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Netherlands	196	8	2	10	5	1	0	0	6	686	717
Aruba	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	9
Netherlands Antilles	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	35
Total	206	9	2	11	5	1	0	0	6	702	761
Norway	23	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	133	143
Poland	2,104	29	98	127	0	0	0	0	0	2,578	6,369
Portugal	480	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	542	899
Macau [1]	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	126

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	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences			
Foreign State	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Pref. Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers
Europe–Continued												
Total	19	36	39	75	23	14	317	448	42	19	466	43
Romania	37	5	31	36	7	98	108	286	166	202	499	5
Russia	56	10	36	46	1	21	7	131	1,121	604	1,227	5
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovakia	5	0	10	10	1	16	0	32	32	17	98	6
Slovenia	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	4	5	2	12	0
Spain	8	4	13	17	1	3	14	43	217	53	148	7
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	8	4	13	17	1	3	14	43	217	53	148	7
Sweden	9	4	1	5	3	2	7	26	382	51	109	0
Switzerland	4	2	5	7	2	6	8	27	350	56	117	1
Tajikistan	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0
Turkey	30	4	42	46	20	10	70	176	173	172	487	15
Turkmenistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0
Ukraine	54	9	33	42	1	23	7	127	264	122	422	0
Uzbekistan	11	2	1	3	0	1	0	15	30	9	46	7
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yugoslavia [2]	23	6	20	26	17	31	97	194	112	64	180	8
Region Total for Europe	**1,113**	**372**	**1,170**	**1,542**	**323**	**2,623**	**1,949**	**7,550**	**13,519**	**3,586**	**12,320**	**249**
North America												
Antigua and Barbuda	60	0	5	5	44	10	69	188	0	1	6	7
Bahamas	42	16	20	36	12	4	0	94	9	5	30	0
Barbados	84	6	15	21	27	21	50	203	24	3	26	53
Belize	107	24	22	46	40	59	80	332	1	2	11	8
Canada	194	36	66	102	42	160	263	761	5,643	1,097	3,907	3
Costa Rica	44	17	19	36	17	27	55	179	37	3	93	14
Cuba	637	6	597	603	22	944	39	2,245	10	0	1	0
Dominica	161	15	31	46	64	51	83	405	1	2	17	17
Dominican Republic	814	1,069	3,526	4,595	3,110	280	1,250	10,049	32	5	65	15
El Salvador	725	898	1,945	2,843	1,930	447	745	6,690	12	18	1,695	528
Grenada	83	6	7	13	18	7	99	220	4	1	19	43
Guatemala	376	489	775	1,264	777	313	359	3,089	38	14	613	236
Haiti	2,298	984	1,672	2,656	3,783	445	675	9,857	10	7	63	27
Honduras	501	244	373	617	484	162	225	1,989	9	3	313	51
Jamaica	2,243	118	563	681	1,025	632	1,017	5,598	84	27	383	115
Mexico	2,803	59,593	0	59,593	3,137	4,016	5,701	75,250	1,170	121	4,942	455
Nicaragua	130	57	92	149	120	61	86	546	7	4	29	15
Panama	81	15	24	39	50	60	126	356	10	11	63	6
Saint Kitts and Nevis	125	5	3	8	26	3	72	234	0	0	1	5

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Subject to Numerical Limitations (Continued)
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Employment Preferences

Foreign State	3rd Total	4th	4th Certain Religious Workers	4th Total	5th Employ. Creation	5th Target Employ. Areas	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
Europe–Continued											
Total	509	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	577	1,025
Romania	504	36	39	75	0	0	0	0	0	947	1,233
Russia	1,232	41	27	68	2	0	0	0	2	3,027	3,158
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovakia	104	0	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	159	191
Slovenia	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	23
Spain	155	22	9	31	0	0	0	0	0	456	499
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	155	22	9	31	0	0	0	0	0	456	499
Sweden	109	1	3	4	0	1	0	0	1	547	573
Switzerland	118	3	4	7	0	0	0	0	0	531	558
Tajikistan	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	4
Turkey	502	14	9	23	0	0	0	0	0	870	1,046
Turkmenistan	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
Ukraine	422	30	42	72	0	0	0	0	0	880	1,007
Uzbekistan	53	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	93	108
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yugoslavia [2]	188	8	7	15	0	0	0	0	0	379	573
Region Total for Europe	**12,569**	**465**	**402**	**867**	**11**	**7**	**0**	**0**	**18**	**30,559**	**38,109**
North America											
Antigua and Barbuda	13	2	8	10	0	0	0	0	0	24	212
Bahamas	30	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	50	144
Barbados	79	8	3	11	0	0	0	0	0	117	320
Belize	19	9	11	20	0	0	0	0	0	42	374
Canada	3,910	141	99	240	4	0	0	0	4	10,894	11,655
Costa Rica	107	27	10	37	0	0	0	0	0	184	363
Cuba	1	40	3	43	0	0	0	0	0	54	2,299
Dominica	34	2	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	41	446
Dominican Republic	80	27	51	78	0	0	0	0	0	195	10,244
El Salvador	2,223	63	10	73	0	0	0	0	0	2,326	9,016
Grenada	62	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	69	289
Guatemala	849	60	42	102	0	0	0	0	0	1,003	4,092
Haiti	90	65	19	84	0	0	0	0	0	191	10,048
Honduras	364	31	11	42	0	0	0	0	0	418	2,407
Jamaica	498	90	122	212	0	0	0	0	0	821	6,419
Mexico	5,397	476	242	718	0	2	0	0	2	7,408	82,658
Nicaragua	44	[illegible]	1	17	0	0	0	0	0	72	618
Panama	69	119	7	126	0	2	0	0	2	218	574
Saint Kitts and Nevis	6	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	8	242

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Immigrant Visas Issued and Adjustments of Status
Subject to Numerical Limitations (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences			
Foreign State	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Pref. Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers
North America–Continued												
Saint Lucia	68	6	24	30	50	20	106	274	2	0	13	12
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	98	7	5	12	13	21	63	207	2	2	10	52
Trinidad and Tobago	473	57	104	161	115	306	1,115	2,170	69	21	507	281
Region Total for North America	**12,147**	**63,668**	**9,888**	**73,556**	**14,906**	**8,049**	**12,278**	**120,936**	**7,174**	**1,347**	**12,807**	**1,943**
Oceania												
Australia	10	2	8	10	7	17	20	64	594	107	368	0
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cocos Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	10	2	8	10	7	17	20	64	594	107	368	0
Fiji	22	4	17	21	17	56	322	438	4	1	11	0
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0
Nauru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	10	0	3	3	1	9	14	37	139	24	145	2
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	10	0	3	3	1	9	14	37	139	24	145	2
Palau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Papua New Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Samoa	6	2	1	3	1	8	6	24	5	0	1	0
Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Tonga	9	8	15	23	25	13	33	103	0	1	0	8
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Region Total for Oceania	**57**	**16**	**44**	**60**	**51**	**104**	**395**	**667**	**744**	**133**	**527**	**10**
South America												
Argentina	66	20	25	45	10	73	107	301	384	85	498	19
Bolivia	50	15	63	78	22	26	90	266	19	4	616	71
Brazil	114	71	51	122	42	48	95	421	1,014	99	1,957	70
Chile	39	22	20	42	27	21	146	275	133	13	164	24
Colombia	455	171	289	460	477	318	1,073	2,783	445	79	809	95
Ecuador	349	164	464	628	497	332	784	2,590	54	15	1,005	93
Guyana	1,415	81	285	366	649	1,602	1,240	5,272	29	11	127	77

Table V (Part II)
Immigrant Visas Issued and Adjustments of Status
Subject to Numerical Limitations (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Employment Preferences

Foreign State	3rd Total	4th	4th Certain Religious Workers	4th Total	5th Employ. Creation	5th Target Employ. Areas	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
North America--Continued											
Saint Lucia	25	7	4	11	0	0	0	0	0	38	312
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	62	9	5	14	0	0	0	0	0	80	287
Trinidad and Tobago	788	61	66	127	0	0	0	0	0	1,005	3,175
Region Total for North America	**14,750**	**1,251**	**728**	**1,979**	**4**	**4**	**0**	**0**	**8**	**25,258**	**146,194**
Oceania											
Australia	368	19	17	36	0	0	0	0	0	1,105	1,169
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cocos Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	368	19	17	36	0	0	0	0	0	1,105	1,169
Fiji	11	3	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	20	458
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Nauru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	147	4	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	316	353
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	147	4	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	316	353
Palau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Papua New Guinea	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Samoa	1	0	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	16	40
Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Tonga	8	2	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	12	115
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Region Total for Oceania	**537**	**28**	**31**	**59**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1,473**	**2,140**
South America											
Argentina	517	31	27	58	3	0	0	0	3	1,047	1,348
Bolivia	687	8	5	13	0	0	0	0	0	723	989
Brazil	2,027	184	126	310	0	0	0	0	0	3,450	3,871
Chile	188	9	12	21	0	0	0	0	0	355	630
Colombia	904	120	65	185	0	0	0	0	0	1,613	4,396
Ecuador	1,098	32	14	46	0	0	0	0	0	1,213	3,803
Guyana	204	30	47	77	0	0	0	0	0	321	5,593

Table V (Part I)
Immigrant Visas Issued and Adjustments of Status
Subject to Numerical Limitations (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences			
Foreign State	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Pref. Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers
South America–Continued												
Paraguay	4	6	4	10	6	5	19	44	16	6	69	20
Peru	417	122	240	362	547	255	882	2,463	90	83	892	170
Suriname	12	2	13	15	7	27	17	78	4	0	36	6
Uruguay	12	6	13	19	9	7	51	98	23	7	52	7
Venezuela	111	28	47	75	33	81	64	364	492	78	597	8
Region Total for South America	**3,044**	**708**	**1,514**	**2,222**	**2,326**	**2,795**	**4,568**	**14,955**	**2,703**	**480**	**6,822**	**660**
Grand Totals	**23,620**	**66,159**	**21,181**	**87,340**	**24,528**	**23,217**	**64,679**	**223,384**	**42,997**	**44,949**	**85,438**	**4,836**

Table V (Part II)
Immigrant Visas Issued and Adjustments of Status
Subject to Numerical Limitations (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Employment Preferences

Foreign State	3rd Total	4th	4th Certain Religious Workers	4th Total	5th Employ. Creation	5th Target Employ. Areas	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
South America–Continued											
Paraguay	89	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	118	162
Peru	1,062	27	16	43	0	0	0	0	0	1,278	3,741
Suriname	42	4	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	51	129
Uruguay	59	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	93	191
Venezuela	605	39	29	68	5	0	0	0	5	1,248	1,612
Region Total for South America	**7,482**	**495**	**342**	**837**	**8**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**8**	**11,510**	**26,465**
Grand Totals	**90,274**	**4,797**	**3,331**	**8,128**	**111**	**77**	**0**	**0**	**188**	**186,536**	**409,920**

Note: See Appendices A and E for explanation of the immigrant visa categories used in this table.

In addition to the 409,920 numbers used for visa issuances or INS adjustments of status, 14 family preference numbers were charged for children admitted under INA 211(a) accompanying parents with family preference visas and 2 employment preference numbers were charged for children admitted under INA 211(a) accompanying parents with employment preference visas.

In accordance with INA 203(b)(6), the 30 special immigrants who were issued visas or adjusted status during FY–2000 under INA 101(a)(27)(K) (certain U.S. armed forces personnel) were charged against the FY–2001 employment preference limit; each of the first, second and third preferences was reduced by 10. FY–2001 per-country limits were reduced by the amount specified to compensate for such immigrants: Japan 1, and Philippines 29. For the Philippines chargeability, which was subject to the prorating provisions of INA 202(e), the reduction in the per-country limit was accomplished under the law as follows: each of the employment first and second preferences was reduced by 10, and the third preference was reduced by 9.

In accordance with Section 2(d) of the Chinese Student Protection Act of 1992 (Pub. L. 102–404), beginning with FY–1993, the China–mainland born limit will be reduced by 1,000 per fiscal year to compensate for issuances under that legislation.

Numbers assigned to issued visas that are not used are recaptured in accordance with Section 206 of the INA and can be used again for the issuance of other visas. Therefore, the total number of visas issued and adjustments of status may exceed a specified limitation.

For number use in the Diversity (DV) category, see Table VII.

[1] Effective December 20, 1999, Macau was returned to Chinese administration and was designated as the Special Administration Region of Macau. Title II (United States-Macau Policy Act of 2000) of Pub. L. 106–570 (Assistance for International Malaria Control Act) enacted December 27, 2000 provides that, notwithstanding any change in the exercise of sovereignty over Macau, the laws of the United States shall continue to apply with respect to Macau in the same manner as before December 20, 1999.

[2] On November 17, 2000, the United States Government established diplomatic relations with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, recognizing it as an independent state. The former practice of using Serbia and Montenegro for the name of this entity was discontinued.

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Table VI (Part I)
Preference Visas Issued
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	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences							
												3rd		4th		
Foreign State	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Preference Total	1st	2nd	3rd	Other Workers	3rd Total	BC	SD	SE
Africa																
Algeria	1	0	12	12	2	1	0	16	6	13	15	0	15	0	0	0
Angola	0	0	3	3	3	0	2	8	0	0	4	0	4	0	0	0
Benin	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	2
Botswana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burkina Faso	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	8	0	0	0
Burundi	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cameroon	5	0	9	9	1	0	0	15	6	0	8	0	8	0	0	12
Cape Verde	31	8	48	56	84	25	35	231	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Central African Republic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chad	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Congo, Republic of the	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	0
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	2	5	1	0	1	0	0	0
Cote d'Ivoire	7	0	8	8	1	0	5	21	6	0	13	0	13	0	0	2
Djibouti	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Egypt	15	0	43	43	29	57	556	700	74	41	80	0	80	0	6	61
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eritrea	3	4	37	41	6	0	5	55	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	6
Ethiopia	29	0	216	216	32	7	22	306	0	0	8	4	12	0	2	17
Gabon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gambia	4	0	8	8	0	0	0	12	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0
Ghana	130	1	109	110	39	56	60	395	5	2	35	0	35	0	7	13
Guinea	2	0	2	2	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Guinea-Bissau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Kenya	7	0	18	18	2	3	124	[illegible]	23	9	34	0	34	0	0	44
Lesotho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberia	69	3	23	26	1	0	18	114	0	0	2	0	2	0	1	2
Libya	0	0	0	0	5	4	15	24	4	2	4	0	4	0	0	0
Madagascar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Malawi	1	0	0	0	0	4	2	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mali	1	0	2	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	4	0	4	0	0	0
Mauritania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mauritius	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	6	5	0	6	0	6	0	0	0
Morocco	14	0	27	27	35	4	4	84	17	12	28	1	29	0	0	11

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Foreign State	Employment Preferences															
	4th								4th Total	5th Employment Creation	5th Target Employment	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
	SF	SG	SH	SJ	SK	SL	SN	SR								
Africa																
Algeria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	50
Angola	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	12
Benin	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	7
Botswana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burkina Faso	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	8
Burundi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Cameroon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	26	41
Cape Verde	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	231
Central African Republic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chad	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Congo, Republic of the	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	13	17
Cote d'Ivoire	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	22	43
Djibouti	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Egypt	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	75	0	0	0	0	0	270	970
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eritrea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	7	62
Ethiopia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	31	337
Gabon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gambia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	15
Ghana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	62	457
Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5
Guinea-Bissau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
Kenya	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	49	0	0	0	0	0	115	269
Lesotho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	119
Libya	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	34
Madagascar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Malawi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	9
Mali	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	7
Mauritania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4
Mauritius	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	17
Morocco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12	0	0	0	0	0	70	154

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Foreign State	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences							
	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Preference Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers	3rd Total	4th BC	4th SD	4th SE
Africa–Continued																
Mozambique	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	5	6	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Namibia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	8	0	8	0	0	0
Niger	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nigeria	137	10	182	192	37	50	96	512	27	40	251	3	254	0	12	3
Rwanda	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Senegal	7	0	14	14	1	0	2	24	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	7
Seychelles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sierra Leone	80	0	15	15	3	15	23	136	2	0	10	0	10	0	0	4
Somalia	1	0	2	2	0	0	1	4	0	5	1	0	1	0	0	1
South Africa	13	0	3	3	5	24	55	100	216	32	401	0	401	0	17	0
Sudan	9	0	17	17	1	0	2	29	1	18	4	0	4	0	0	6
Swaziland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Tanzania	2	0	3	3	1	0	49	55	13	1	8	0	8	0	0	0
Togo	2	0	3	3	0	0	0	5	0	0	4	0	4	0	0	1
Tunisia	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	3	8	7	0	7	0	0	0
Uganda	4	0	1	1	0	9	53	67	13	7	23	0	23	0	0	0
Zambia	1	0	2	2	2	4	26	35	8	1	10	2	12	0	1	0
Zimbabwe	2	0	1	1	3	1	6	13	9	4	27	1	28	0	2	0
Region Total for Africa	**582**	**26**	**813**	**839**	**296**	**265**	**1,171**	**3,153**	**452**	**206**	**1,017**	**11**	**1,028**	**0**	**48**	**204**
Asia																
Afghanistan	51	4	23	27	32	37	24	171	1	0	45	0	45	0	3	0
Bahrain	0	0	2	2	0	3	15	20	4	2	10	0	10	0	0	0
Bangladesh	45	9	563	572	159	94	778	1,648	26	44	146	14	160	0	4	19
Bhutan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Brunei	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burma	18	0	23	23	30	46	349	466	5	0	12	2	14	0	7	1
Cambodia	61	0	25	25	15	32	111	244	2	1	1	2	3	0	4	1
China–mainland born	412	15	913	928	779	1,304	4,248	7,671	767	440	1,304	252	1,556	0	3	2
–Taiwan born	122	10	94	104	127	274	2,519	3,146	270	551	570	5	575	0	12	1

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	Employment Preferences															
	4th									5th		5th Regional	5th Regional			
Foreign State	SF	SG	SH	SJ	SK	SL	SN	SR	4th Total	Employment Creation	5th Target Employment	Pilot Program	Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
Africa–Continued																
Mozambique	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	12
Namibia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	10
Niger	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nigeria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	19	0	0	0	0	0	340	852
Rwanda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	6	7
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Senegal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	9	33
Seychelles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sierra Leone	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	16	152
Somalia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	11
South Africa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	18	0	0	0	0	0	667	767
Sudan	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	31	60
Swaziland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Tanzania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	77
Togo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	10
Tunisia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	20
Uganda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43	110
Zambia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	22	57
Zimbabwe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	6	0	0	0	0	0	47	60
Region Total for Africa	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**29**	**283**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1,969**	**5,122**
Asia																
Afghanistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	7	2	0	0	0	2	55	226
Bahrain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	36
Bangladesh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	24	0	0	0	0	0	254	1,902
Bhutan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Brunei	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Burma	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	27	493
Cambodia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	11	0	0	0	0	0	17	261
China–mainland born	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	7	1	0	0	8	2,777	10,448
–Taiwan born	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	20	16	11	0	0	27	1,443	4,589

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Foreign State	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences							
	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Preference Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers	3rd Total	4th BC	4th SD	4th SK
Asia–Continued																
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	117	10	71	81	138	130	2,197	2,663	79	59	248	9	257	0	8	6
India	264	43	824	867	372	990	11,816	14,309	536	3,455	1,773	25	1,798	0	72	37
Indonesia	2	0	10	10	9	6	108	135	28	15	58	0	58	0	4	19
Iran	172	32	133	165	228	138	1,130	1,833	67	53	741	5	746	0	2	0
Iraq	49	1	16	17	62	101	89	318	7	5	59	0	59	0	7	0
Israel	15	3	10	13	2	28	71	129	255	34	147	1	148	0	0	2
Japan	10	1	32	33	7	10	20	80	1,007	62	753	0	753	0	9	7
Jordan	59	39	126	165	113	202	687	1,226	21	5	67	1	68	0	3	6
Korea, North	1	0	2	2	0	0	14	17	0	0	2	3	5	0	0	1
Korea, South	101	6	85	91	97	186	1,169	1,644	116	69	719	256	975	0	115	53
Kuwait	23	1	18	19	54	36	84	216	7	12	61	0	61	0	0	5
Laos	18	3	7	10	6	18	21	73	0	1	4	0	4	0	0	0
Lebanon	126	3	103	106	183	146	656	1,217	24	29	190	2	192	0	8	19
Malaysia	3	1	5	6	18	0	123	150	29	22	114	1	115	0	1	0
Maldives	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mongolia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Nepal	4	0	17	17	1	2	17	41	16	8	101	6	107	0	0	7
Oman	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	6	1	3	2	0	2	0	1	0
Pakistan	254	87	596	683	281	457	3,153	4,828	85	126	667	12	679	0	8	84
Philippines	1,362	92	2,197	2,289	2,135	2,947	4,017	12,750	45	41	3,925	174	4,099	0	45	117
Qatar	1	0	6	6	1	0	7	15	3	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Saudi Arabia	3	0	13	13	1	6	68	91	3	12	16	2	18	0	0	0
Singapore	0	0	2	2	3	5	28	38	50	21	64	0	64	0	2	0
Sri Lanka	5	0	3	3	3	16	160	187	24	10	107	19	126	0	2	23
Syria	55	1	47	48	89	79	542	813	20	33	222	5	227	0	9	6
Thailand	70	1	19	20	33	16	199	338	9	21	95	3	98	0	0	7
United Arab Emirates	2	6	2	8	4	3	131	148	3	1	42	0	42	0	0	0
Vietnam	993	47	684	731	294	834	6,595	9,447	23	13	69	0	69	0	1	2
Yemen	83	0	23	23	3	71	20	200	0	2	3	0	3	0	0	0
Region Total for Asia	**4,502**	**415**	**6,694**	**7,109**	**5,279**	**8,218**	**41,177**	**66,285**	**3,537**	**5,151**	**12,339**	**799**	**13,138**	**0**	**331**	**425**

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Foreign State	Employment Preferences															
	4th								4th Total	5th Employment Creation	5th Target Employment	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
	SF	SG	SH	SJ	SK	SL	SN	SR								
Asia–Continued																
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	1	0	0	0	1	410	3,073
India	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46	155	0	3	0	0	3	5,947	20,256
Indonesia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	124	259
Iran	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	868	2,701
Iraq	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	5	0	0	5	83	401
Israel	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17	19	0	0	0	0	0	456	585
Japan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	20	0	0	0	0	0	1,842	1,922
Jordan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	103	1,329
Korea, North	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	5	1	0	0	0	1	11	28
Korea, South	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	212	0	0	0	0	0	1,372	3,016
Kuwait	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	85	301
Laos	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	7	80
Lebanon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	31	0	0	0	0	0	276	1,493
Malaysia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	167	317
Maldives	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mongolia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5
Nepal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	138	179
Oman	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	7	13
Pakistan	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	19	115	4	0	0	0	4	1,009	5,837
Philippines	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	187	0	0	0	0	0	4,372	17,122
Qatar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	20
Saudi Arabia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	124
Singapore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	138	176
Sri Lanka	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	26	0	0	0	0	0	186	373
Syria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	24	0	0	0	0	0	304	1,117
Thailand	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	135	473
United Arab Emirates	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46	194
Vietnam	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	10	0	0	0	0	0	115	9,562
Yemen	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	205
Region Total for Asia	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**5**	**0**	**0**	**201**	**962**	**31**	**20**	**0**	**0**	**51**	**22,839**	**89,124**

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Preference Visas Issued (Continued)
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	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences							
Foreign State	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Preference Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers	3rd Total	4th BC	4th SD	4th SE
Europe																
Albania	21	0	16	16	0	112	0	149	3	3	19	0	19	0	1	0
Andorra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armenia	2	0	0	0	0	2	1	5	21	1	53	0	53	0	5	0
Austria	1	0	0	0	0	2	14	17	36	9	32	0	32	0	2	2
Azerbaijan	5	0	1	1	0	0	0	6	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Belarus	1	0	9	9	0	2	1	13	13	4	18	1	19	0	0	0
Belgium	0	0	0	0	0	2	9	11	98	8	36	0	36	0	5	2
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0	0	2	2	2	0	19	23	7	4	7	0	7	0	0	0
Bulgaria	8	0	4	4	1	14	1	28	28	28	60	0	60	0	0	0
Croatia	4	0	2	2	0	2	13	21	6	10	24	0	24	0	2	0
Cyprus	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	4	2	15	0	15	0	0	1
Czech Republic	4	0	2	2	0	1	2	9	21	11	16	0	16	0	0	0
Denmark	0	0	1	1	0	1	6	8	50	17	29	0	29	0	1	0
Greenland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Estonia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Finland	0	0	4	4	0	1	2	7	44	8	10	0	10	0	0	1
France	14	6	11	17	3	36	23	93	485	86	202	5	207	0	1	2
French Guiana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
French Polynesia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guadeloupe	6	0	1	1	0	0	2	9	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
Martinique	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Caledonia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reunion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Pierre & Miquelon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallis and Futuna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Georgia	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	4	6	4	3	0	3	0	1	0
Germany	15	4	17	21	3	41	25	105	642	116	203	2	205	0	0	8
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	64	2	26	28	25	102	252	471	1,895	182	1,139	4	1,143	0	23	2
Anguilla	0	0	2	2	0	0	39	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bermuda	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	5	3	1	3	0	3	0	0	0
British Virgin Islands	1	0	1	1	0	0	13	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	Employment Preferences															
	4th															
Foreign State	SF	SG	SH	SJ	SK	SL	SN	SR	4th Total	5th Employment Creation	5th Target Employment	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Area	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
Europe																
Albania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	26	175
Andorra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armenia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	80	85
Austria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	81	98
Azerbaijan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	16
Belarus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	49
Belgium	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	149	160
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	41
Bulgaria	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	116	144
Croatia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	42	63
Cyprus	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	22	24
Czech Republic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48	57
Denmark	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	97	105
Greenland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Estonia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Finland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	63	70
France	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	784	877
French Guiana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
French Polynesia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guadeloupe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	12
Martinique	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
New Caledonia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reunion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Pierre & Miquelon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallis and Futuna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Georgia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	14	18
Germany	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	17	26	0	0	0	0	0	989	1,094
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	8	41	0	0	0	0	0	3,261	3,732
Anguilla	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41
Bermuda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	12
British Virgin Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15

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Foreign State	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences							
	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Preference Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers	3rd Total	4th RC	4th SD	4th SE
Europe–Continued																
Cayman Islands	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Falkland Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gibraltar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Montserrat	3	0	1	1	1	0	3	8	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Pitcairn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Helena	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turks and Caicos Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greece	7	0	6	6	4	13	23	53	23	22	35	0	35	0	0	1
Hungary	5	0	3	3	2	1	13	24	21	11	33	0	33	0	0	0
Iceland	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	12	0	2	0	2	0	0	0
Ireland	2	0	0	0	0	0	11	13	81	11	44	0	44	0	2	0
Italy	15	0	7	7	8	12	42	84	135	31	154	1	155	0	0	0
Kazakhstan	0	0	3	3	0	1	0	4	9	0	6	0	6	0	0	0
Kyrgyzstan	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Latvia	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	4	1	0	14	0	14	0	0	0
Liechtenstein	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Lithuania	2	0	3	3	0	24	1	30	5	0	11	0	11	0	0	0
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of	4	11	12	23	7	18	96	148	2	0	28	0	28	0	0	0
Malta	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	3	6	0	3	0	3	0	0	0
Moldova	3	0	2	2	0	0	2	7	6	3	13	0	13	0	0	0
Monaco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Netherlands	2	0	0	0	1	2	12	17	173	27	66	0	66	0	1	0
Aruba	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands Antilles	5	0	0	0	0	5	12	22	4	0	6	0	6	0	0	0
Norway	2	0	0	0	1	2	2	7	29	9	8	0	8	0	0	0
Poland	243	35	506	541	73	1,724	481	3,062	50	34	327	15	342	0	2	1
Portugal	2	4	12	16	4	9	212	243	14	3	56	5	61	0	0	0
Macau [1]	9	1	2	3	3	2	74	91	1	3	12	0	12	0	0	0
Romania	19	0	25	25	5	72	100	221	44	29	101	3	104	0	17	2
Russia	19	0	26	26	0	12	2	59	174	64	128	1	129	0	0	0
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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	Employment Preferences															
	4th															
Foreign State	SF	SG	SH	SJ	SK	SL	SN	SR	4th Total	5th Employment Creation	5th Target Employment	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
Europe–Continued																
Cayman Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	5
Falkland Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gibraltar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Montserrat	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	10
Pitcairn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Helena	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turks and Caicos Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Greece	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	81	134
Hungary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	89
Iceland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	16
Ireland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	138	151
Italy	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	322	406
Kazakhstan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	19
Kyrgyzstan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	6
Latvia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	19
Liechtenstein	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Lithuania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	46
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	3
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	178
Malta	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	12
Moldova	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	29
Monaco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Netherlands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	267	284
Aruba	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Netherlands Antilles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	32
Norway	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	46	53
Poland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	22	0	0	0	0	0	448	3,510
Portugal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	78	321
Macau [1]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	107
Romania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	39	0	0	0	0	0	216	437
Russia	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	368	427
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Foreign State	Family Preferences 1st	2A Earmark	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Preference Total	Employment Preferences 1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers	3rd Total	4th BC	4th SD	4th SE
Europe–Continued																
Slovakia	3	0	8	8	0	10	0	21	4	5	12	5	17	0	0	0
Slovenia	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	3	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Spain	4	0	2	2	0	1	7	14	76	14	40	3	43	0	2	0
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	8	0	1	1	1	1	3	14	165	21	46	0	46	0	0	0
Switzerland	2	0	3	3	0	5	8	18	142	16	43	1	44	0	0	0
Tajikistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turkey	17	2	34	36	6	8	65	132	64	46	235	5	240	0	10	3
Turkmenistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ukraine	22	0	24	24	0	15	6	67	60	19	77	0	77	0	8	0
Uzbekistan	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	5	5	1	18	7	25	0	0	0
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yugoslavia [2]	11	0	14	14	9	23	80	137	17	9	50	0	50	0	0	0
Region Total for Europe	**567**	**65**	**801**	**866**	**162**	**2,282**	**1,689**	**5,566**	**4,705**	**877**	**3,443**	**58**	**3,501**	**0**	**83**	**25**
North America																
Antigua and Barbuda	42	0	3	3	34	8	65	152	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bahamas	10	6	0	6	1	0	0	17	2	0	7	0	7	0	1	0
Barbados	42	0	10	10	18	11	37	118	5	2	6	9	15	0	2	0
Belize	42	1	16	17	26	31	50	166	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1
Canada	85	2	19	21	27	120	222	475	2,126	310	1,037	2	1,039	0	19	0
Costa Rica	12	2	4	6	4	7	38	67	3	2	7	2	9	0	1	4
Cuba	625	2	592	594	20	935	31	2,205	5	0	1	0	1	0	39	0
Dominica	131	11	11	22	54	48	74	329	0	0	2	0	2	0	2	0
Dominican Republic	695	886	3,153	4,039	2,960	231	1,128	9,053	1	2	12	2	14	0	9	0
El Salvador	384	248	706	954	653	81	561	2,633	3	4	469	179	648	0	3	16
Grenada	49	2	2	4	15	5	77	150	3	0	2	5	7	0	0	0
Guatemala	157	83	221	304	180	77	195	913	0	8	87	35	122	0	7	1
Haiti	2,099	851	1,519	2,370	3,599	395	535	8,998	0	0	10	9	19	0	20	17
Honduras	311	72	209	281	325	122	182	1,221	0	0	89	14	103	0	1	2
Jamaica	2,016	53	495	548	977	396	895	4,832	21	6	118	34	152	0	10	16

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Foreign State	Employment Preferences															
	4th								4th Total	5th Employment Creation	5th Target Employment	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preferences Total	Grand Total
	SF	SG	SH	SJ	SK	SL	SN	SR								
Europe–Continued																
Slovakia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	27	48
Slovenia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5
Spain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	137	151
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	232	246
Switzerland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	202	220
Tajikistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Turkey	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	363	495
Turkmenistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3
Ukraine	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	166	233
Uzbekistan	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	31	36
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yugoslavia [2]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	76	213
Region Total for Europe	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**13**	**0**	**0**	**75**	**196**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**9,279**	**14,845**
North America																
Antigua and Barbuda	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	156
Bahamas	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	10	27
Barbados	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	25	143
Belize	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	8	0	0	0	0	0	9	175
Canada	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	34	0	0	0	0	0	3,509	3,984
Costa Rica	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	19	86
Cuba	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	42	0	0	0	0	0	48	2,253
Dominica	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	334
Dominican Republic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	11	0	0	0	0	0	28	9,081
El Salvador	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	674	3,307
Grenada	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	11	161
Guatemala	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	11	0	0	0	0	0	141	1,054
Haiti	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	48	0	0	0	0	0	67	9,065
Honduras	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	108	1,329
Jamaica	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	49	0	0	0	0	0	228	5,060

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Preference Visas Issued (Continued)
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Foreign State	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences							
	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Preference Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers	3rd Total	4th BC	4th SD	4th SE
North America–Continued																
Mexico	669	17,717	0	17,717	796	3,077	3,199	25,458	396	19	459	31	490	0	36	11
Nicaragua	75	14	65	79	100	39	64	357	0	0	12	11	23	0	0	0
Panama	48	2	15	17	33	45	112	255	2	0	3	0	3	0	17	83
Saint Kitts and Nevis	111	2	0	2	22	3	64	202	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0
Saint Lucia	57	4	19	23	46	19	103	248	1	0	6	0	6	0	0	0
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	63	0	2	2	10	10	54	139	0	0	3	10	13	0	5	0
Trinidad and Tobago	338	12	71	83	73	193	789	1,476	30	4	79	64	143	0	8	6
Region Total for North America	**8,061**	**19,970**	**7,132**	**27,102**	**9,973**	**5,853**	**8,675**	**59,464**	**2,598**	**357**	**2,411**	**407**	**2,818**	**0**	**183**	**157**
Oceania																
Australia	7	1	6	7	3	14	16	47	232	29	189	0	189	0	10	0
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cocos Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiji	15	0	15	15	16	43	302	391	3	1	5	0	5	0	0	0
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nauru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	4	0	1	1	0	9	13	27	44	5	78	0	78	0	0	0
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Palau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Papua New Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Samoa	4	0	1	1	1	3	6	15	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0
Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	1	1	10	11	15	11	13	51	0	0	0	8	8	0	0	0
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table VI (Part II)
Preference Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

	Employment Preferences															
	4th															
Foreign State	SF	SG	SH	SJ	SK	SL	SN	SR	4th Total	5th Employment Creation	5th Target Employment	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
North America–Continued																
Mexico	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23	70	0	0	0	0	0	975	26,433
Nicaragua	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	26	383
Panama	3	8	0	0	0	0	0	2	113	0	0	0	0	0	118	373
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	205
Saint Lucia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	255
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	18	157
Trinidad and Tobago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	25	0	0	0	0	0	202	1,678
Region Total for North America	**3**	**8**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**111**	**462**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**6,235**	**65,699**
Oceania																
Australia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	14	0	0	0	0	0	464	511
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cocos Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiji	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	400
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Nauru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	127	154
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Palau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Papua New Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Samoa	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	16
Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	59
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Table VI (Part I)
Preference Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	Family Preferences								Employment Preferences							
	1st	2A Exempt	2A Subject	2A Total	2B	3rd	4th	Family Preference Total	1st	2nd	3rd	3rd Other Workers	3rd Total	4th IC	4th SD	4th SE
Oceania–Continued																
Region Total for Oceania	**31**	**2**	**33**	**35**	**35**	**81**	**350**	**532**	**280**	**35**	**274**	**8**	**282**	**0**	**10**	**0**
South America																
Argentina	13	5	7	12	3	40	77	145	136	24	145	7	152	0	5	4
Bolivia	15	3	43	46	16	19	71	167	10	0	140	15	155	0	0	1
Brazil	31	7	14	21	17	25	79	173	236	17	220	13	233	0	6	3
Chile	14	2	4	6	7	12	108	147	56	0	19	0	19	0	1	0
Colombia	249	45	131	176	350	217	848	1,840	86	14	111	14	125	0	9	20
Ecuador	227	51	373	424	393	286	694	2,024	8	3	219	20	239	0	0	0
Guyana	1,309	40	239	279	598	1,429	1,031	4,646	6	2	26	17	43	0	13	0
Paraguay	1	1	2	3	0	2	19	25	3	0	17	3	20	0	4	1
Peru	217	23	139	162	406	164	776	1,725	14	13	223	34	257	0	0	3
Suriname	8	0	9	9	6	27	17	67	1	0	6	2	8	0	0	4
Uruguay	4	0	7	7	2	3	47	63	8	0	3	0	3	0	0	2
Venezuela	40	6	23	29	16	49	48	182	72	17	97	0	97	0	0	0
Region Total for South America	**2,128**	**183**	**991**	**1,174**	**1,814**	**2,273**	**3,815**	**11,204**	**636**	**90**	**1,226**	**125**	**1,351**	**0**	**38**	**38**
Grand Totals	**15,871**	**20,661**	**16,464**	**37,125**	**17,559**	**18,972**	**56,677**	**146,204**	**12,208**	**6,716**	**20,710**	**1,408**	**22,118**	**0**	**693**	**849**

Table VI (Part II)
Preference Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	Employment Preferences															
	4th								4th Total	5th Employment Creation	5th Target Employment	5th Regional Pilot Program	5th Regional Target Areas	5th Total	Employment Preference Total	Grand Total
	SF	SG	SH	SJ	SK	SL	SN	SR								
Oceania–Continued																
Region Total for Oceania	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**4**	**14**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**611**	**1,143**
South America																
Argentina	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	17	0	0	0	0	0	329	474
Bolivia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	166	333
Brazil	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	19	0	0	0	0	0	505	678
Chile	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	76	223
Colombia	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	33	0	0	0	0	0	258	2,098
Ecuador	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	256	2,280
Guyana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	26	0	0	0	0	0	77	4,723
Paraguay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	28	53
Peru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	288	2,013
Suriname	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	13	80
Uruguay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	13	76
Venezuela	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	187	369
Region Total for South America	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**41**	**119**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2,196**	**13,400**
Grand Totals	**3**	**8**	**0**	**0**	**22**	**0**	**0**	**461**	**2,036**	**31**	**20**	**0**	**0**	**51**	**43,129**	**189,333**

Note: See Appendices A and E for explanation of the immigrant visa categories used in this table.

In addition to the 189,333 immigrant visas issued in the preference categories, 7 visas were issued during FY-2001 in the "SM" special immigrant category (certain U.S. armed forces personnel and their families), the foreign state breakdown of such issuances is: Japan 1, Philippines 6.

[1] Effective December 20, 1999, Macau was returned to Chinese administration and was designated as the Special Administrative Region of Macau. Title II (United States-Macau Policy Act of 2000) of Pub. L. 106-570 (Assistance for International Malaria Control Act) enacted December 27, 2000 provides that, notwithstanding any change in the exercise of sovereignty over Macau, the laws of the United States shall continue to apply with respect to Macau in the same manner as before December 20, 1999.

[2] On November 17, 2000, the United States Government established diplomatic relations with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, recognizing it as an independent state. The former practice of using Serbia and Montenegro for the name of this entity was discontinued.

Table VII
Immigrant Number Use
for Visa Issuances and Adjustments of Status
in the Diversity Immigrant Category
Fiscal Years 1995 – 2001

Foreign State	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa							
Algeria	511	669	321	553	673	501	441
Angola	19	10	11	1	1	1	3
Benin	7	14	29	30	21	25	26
Botswana	4	0	5	1	0	5	4
Burkina Faso	0	1	4	3	2	6	4
Burundi	7	7	1	3	5	1	1
Cameroon	312	344	546	387	682	348	353
Cape Verde	66	112	69	35	0	0	2
Central African Republic	0	11	5	0	4	0	2
Chad	5	7	8	2	8	3	17
Comoros	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Congo, Republic of the	6	0	3	5	10	5	8
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	97	86	76	88	112	141	154
Cote d'Ivoire	102	140	119	133	58	72	70
Djibouti	7	10	6	8	3	5	4
Egypt	3,081	2,087	1,930	1,910	1,952	1,525	1,284
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	2	3	2	1
Eritrea	484	279	652	354	130	113	311
Ethiopia	3,539	3,272	3,051	2,163	2,728	1,482	3,464
Gabon	3	10	2	3	2	3	0
Gambia	66	77	38	41	12	13	18
Ghana	2,265	3,850	2,720	2,057	1,798	1,972	1,125
Guinea	76	64	55	87	53	24	38
Guinea-Bissau	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kenya	862	544	505	835	884	897	1,014
Lesotho	0	0	1	0	0	2	0
Liberia	320	423	570	663	503	539	314
Libya	56	40	11	43	19	28	16
Madagascar	13	14	19	4	15	4	8
Malawi	17	23	46	14	34	17	10
Mali	60	51	53	44	19	20	11
Mauritania	4	2	3	5	7	11	10
Mauritius	32	27	15	22	20	16	10
Morocco	769	383	1,270	1,255	2,294	2,180	3,365
Mozambique	11	7	4	0	0	3	6
Namibia	4	2	0	3	3	3	1
Niger	2	10	6	2	10	8	12
Nigeria	3,852	3,858	3,750	3,008	3,008	3,262	2,854
Rwanda	10	20	15	17	42	5	40
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	3	0	0	0	0
Senegal	392	264	181	142	120	47	98
Seychelles	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Sierra Leone	429	1,026	867	500	373	830	776
Somalia	351	301	226	285	347	644	376
South Africa	953	694	369	467	367	406	201
Sudan	692	1,002	699	888	1,425	1,133	861

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Immigrant Number Use
for Visa Issuances and Adjustments of Status
in the Diversity Immigrant Category (Continued)
Fiscal Years 1995 – 2001

Foreign State	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa–Continued							
Swaziland	1	0	2	1	1	1	0
Tanzania	322	214	185	106	197	137	115
Togo	40	100	120	256	199	328	441
Tunisia	88	95	50	81	66	74	42
Uganda	196	189	143	113	112	62	66
Zambia	60	55	98	77	47	56	61
Zimbabwe	117	117	66	30	44	37	43
Africa Total	**20,314**	**20,512**	**18,928**	**16,727**	**18,413**	**16,998**	**18,081**
Asia							
Afghanistan	132	69	56	57	64	21	96
Bahrain	5	0	2	0	5	4	4
Bangladesh	3,288	2,943	3,362	3,347	1,882	1,559	1,556
Bhutan	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Brunei	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Burma	141	140	204	232	276	329	384
Cambodia	32	26	5	10	34	50	75
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	328	250	375	215	203	101	79
Indonesia	71	89	98	152	161	447	223
Iran	281	280	326	383	334	313	525
Iraq	41	34	45	41	57	34	61
Israel	36	56	24	45	68	28	58
Japan	134	230	297	322	431	293	259
Jordan	71	46	28	72	104	47	43
Korea, North	12	3	2	1	0	3	0
Kuwait	16	19	14	12	24	20	22
Laos	1	4	1	9	0	1	4
Lebanon	56	38	37	53	43	34	36
Malaysia	45	60	36	58	45	40	43
Maldives	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mongolia	3	0	0	13	9	4	16
Nepal	74	82	102	168	159	87	283
Oman	1	3	1	0	0	4	3
Pakistan	1,823	1,426	1,365	1,772	2,109	1,469	2,484
Qatar	0	1	1	2	4	2	3
Saudi Arabia	13	12	5	17	40	43	34
Singapore	1	13	13	10	15	20	26
Sri Lanka	200	187	281	112	270	162	261
Syria	23	36	26	49	23	22	43
Thailand	20	45	11	64	65	69	90
United Arab Emirates	6	18	2	8	15	29	33
Yemen	10	14	20	16	45	28	17
Asia Total	**6,864**	**6,164**	**6,757**	**7,461**	**6,488**	**5,263**	**6,801**

Table VII
Immigrant Number Use
for Visa Issuances and Adjustments of Status
in the Diversity Immigrant Category (Continued)
Fiscal Years 1995 – 2001

Foreign State	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Europe							
Albania	672	2,487	3,850	3,706	3,850	3,428	3,483
Andorra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armenia	766	1,331	1,090	472	530	378	363
Austria	139	86	97	84	75	61	46
Azerbaijan	232	256	181	207	181	175	141
Belarus	259	304	286	405	415	505	512
Belgium	122	101	68	47	76	50	25
Bosnia and Herzegovina	112	83	70	35	37	47	34
Bulgaria	1,355	772	2,224	3,545	3,733	2,818	2,416
Croatia	213	169	119	92	111	68	36
Cyprus	32	28	24	14	22	29	8
Czech Republic	124	108	115	82	79	91	58
Denmark	108	60	53	48	50	31	27
Greenland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Estonia	60	51	46	26	65	49	22
Finland	157	189	77	80	61	25	14
France	508	343	291	333	429	292	160
French Guiana	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
French Polynesia	2	0	3	0	0	1	0
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guadeloupe	2	0	0	0	2	2	0
Martinique	0	1	2	0	1	4	0
New Caledonia	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Reunion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Pierre and Miquelon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallis and Futuna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Georgia	148	264	133	137	190	104	136
Germany	998	1,038	1,074	1,195	1,617	1,191	757
Greece	171	127	76	42	73	66	38
Hungary	226	251	172	168	144	100	93
Iceland	32	51	29	22	10	20	7
Ireland	481	518	459	367	318	204	86
Italy	413	282	262	274	280	128	56
Kazakhstan	82	217	129	256	259	255	263
Kyrgyzstan	34	33	24	46	81	60	67
Latvia	118	82	97	110	112	120	96
Liechtenstein	0	4	1	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	436	525	484	1,020	823	901	958
Luxembourg	2	9	4	0	4	0	1
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of	106	256	172	209	210	169	133
Malta	15	1	3	3	6	9	2
Moldova	153	192	102	166	185	198	151
Monaco	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Netherlands	241	186	124	100	102	61	27
Aruba	2	0	1	0	1	0	0
Netherlands Antilles	7	6	6	1	7	6	0

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Immigrant Number Use
for Visa Issuances and Adjustments of Status
in the Diversity Immigrant Category (Continued)
Fiscal Years 1995 – 2001

Foreign State	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Europe–Continued							
Northern Ireland [1]	100	79	47	54	52	27	18
Norway	100	90	23	35	32	23	8
Poland [2]	3,851	3,849	3,838	-	-	-	-
Portugal	576	227	168	74	36	24	16
Macau [3]	141	157	85	53	54	7	2
Romania	2,727	1,933	2,667	3,026	3,268	2,460	1,899
Russia	2,581	2,165	1,937	2,013	2,209	2,564	1,494
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovakia	406	419	465	253	277	194	228
Slovenia	16	17	18	5	10	8	1
Spain	222	151	107	96	80	56	17
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	234	284	140	126	160	115	56
Switzerland	209	202	394	272	251	176	79
Tajikistan	51	26	42	44	56	80	26
Turkey	1,404	1,556	1,613	1,520	931	669	590
Turkmenistan	5	23	21	45	26	23	22
Ukraine	2,147	2,195	1,982	2,657	3,461	3,491	2,443
Uzbekistan	177	232	183	256	338	449	442
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yugoslavia [4]	812	489	400	407	304	373	279
Europe Total	**24,289**	**24,505**	**26,078**	**24,228**	**25,685**	**22,385**	**17,837**
North America							
Bahamas	6	10	9	7	4	17	16
North America Total	**6**	**10**	**9**	**7**	**4**	**17**	**16**
Oceania							
Australia	191	103	132	121	218	211	157
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cocos Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiji	494	538	460	478	461	412	488
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nauru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	79	51	80	82	93	113	132
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niue	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Palau	0	0	0	0	0	2	0
Papua New Guinea	1	0	0	2	3	6	1
Samoa	2	1	0	2	4	6	3

Table VII
Immigrant Number Use
for Visa Issuances and Adjustments of Status
in the Diversity Immigrant Category (Continued)
Fiscal Years 1995 – 2001

Foreign State	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Oceania–Continued							
Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	33	14	40	19	18	37	20
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oceania Total	**800**	**707**	**712**	**704**	**797**	**787**	**801**
South America, Central America and the Caribbean							
Antigua and Barbuda	2	7	1	0	1	2	0
Argentina	49	92	94	85	147	139	59
Barbados	10	10	5	9	7	6	5
Belize	2	0	8	2	4	15	3
Bolivia	41	61	50	22	30	21	14
Brazil	194	219	213	219	232	300	211
Chile	24	42	36	32	38	25	6
Colombia [5]	318	-	2	-	-	-	-
Costa Rica	26	6	16	19	29	42	9
Cuba	166	358	1,014	880	1,123	579	456
Dominica	6	11	8	13	16	18	15
Ecuador	281	234	224	140	131	137	348
Grenada	31	13	6	6	2	8	0
Guatemala	170	75	103	82	46	33	17
Guyana	167	63	47	47	52	29	9
Haiti [6]	181	72	46	69	87	-	-
Honduras	68	71	34	53	17	23	21
Nicaragua	116	135	75	48	22	8	9
Panama	13	15	10	9	17	27	6
Paraguay	7	11	3	12	19	2	7
Peru	468	434	293	355	411	401	571
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0	0	0	2	0	1	1
Saint Lucia	4	6	3	7	5	4	0
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	7	2	4	6	6	5	1
Suriname	25	5	6	3	9	7	4
Trinidad and Tobago	253	164	106	184	139	209	52
Uruguay	19	18	10	5	8	16	5
Venezuela	137	140	126	129	133	208	85
South America, Central America and the Caribbean Total	**2,785**	**2,264**	**2,543**	**2,438**	**2,731**	**2,265**	**1,914**
Grand Total	**55,058**	**54,162**	**55,027**	**51,565**	**54,115**	**47,715**	**45,450**

Table VII
Immigrant Number Use
for Visa Issuances and Adjustments of Status
in the Diversity Immigrant Category (Continued)
Fiscal Years 1995 – 2001

Note: Numbers assigned to issued visas that are not used are recaptured in accordance with Section 206 of the Immigration and Nationality Act and can be used again for the issuance of other visas. Therefore, the total of visas issued and adjustments of status may exceed a specified numerical limitation.

[1] In accordance with Section 203(c)(1)(F) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, for purposes of administering the diversity program, Northern Ireland is treated as a separate foreign state.

[2] Poland did not qualify for the FY-1998 through FY-2001 Diversity Visa Programs.

[3] Macau ceased to qualify for the FY-2000 Diversity Visa Program on December 20, 1999, the date on which Macau was returned to Chinese administration and was designated as the Special Administrative Region of Macau. Title II (United States-Macau Policy Act of 2000) of Pub. L. 106-570 (Assistance for International Malaria Control Act) enacted December 27, 2000 provides that, notwithstanding any change in the exercise of sovereignty over Macau, the laws of the United States shall continue to apply with respect to Macau in the same manner as before December 20, 1999.

[4] On November 17, 2000, the United States Government established diplomatic relations with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, recognizing it as an independent state. The former practice of using Serbia and Montenegro for the name of this entity was discontinued.

[5] Colombia did not qualify for the FY-1996 through FY-2001 Diversity Visa Programs. Diversity Visa numbers were allocated during FY-1997 pursuant to Section 637 of the Illegal Immigration Reform and Immigrant Responsibility Act (Pub. L. 104-208) for 2 applicants chargeable to Colombia to permit adjustment of status applications initially filed during FY-1995 to be completed.

[6] Haiti did not qualify for the FY-2000 or FY-2001 Diversity Visa Programs.

[*] Section 203(c) of the Immigration and Nationality Act provides a maximum of 55,000 immigrant visas each fiscal year to permit immigration opportunities for persons from countries other than the principal sources of current immigration to the United States. The Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act (NACARA) of 1997 (Pub. L. 105-500 enacted November 19, 1997) provides that beginning with Fiscal Year 1999, and for as long as necessary, the 55,000 diversity visa numbers available for a fiscal year will be reduced by up to 5,000 annually to offset adjustments under the NACARA program. This provision resulted in the reduction of the FY-2000 and FY-2001 diversity visa limits to 50,000 numbers.

Table VIII
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Fiscal Year 2001

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Africa											
Algeria	12	66	10	1	0	1	14	0	0	0	104
Angola	2	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Benin	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Botswana	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
Burkina Faso	0	3	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5
Burundi	0	2	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	7
Cameroon	11	18	38	1	1	0	23	0	0	0	92
Cape Verde	9	10	130	22	1	0	62	0	0	0	234
Central African Republic	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
Chad	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	4
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Congo, Republic of the	3	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	4	10	17	0	4	2	13	0	0	0	50
Cote d'Ivoire	12	18	72	2	0	2	4	0	0	0	110
Djibouti	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	5
Egypt	142	430	144	26	1	0	227	0	0	0	970
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eritrea	36	59	49	2	1	0	51	0	0	0	198
Ethiopia	90	221	163	5	117	41	241	0	0	0	878
Gabon	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Gambia	5	7	20	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	40
Ghana	115	98	387	27	5	13	98	0	0	0	743
Guinea	6	3	13	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	33
Guinea-Bissau	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Kenya	25	37	32	14	13	2	22	0	0	0	145
Lesotho	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Liberia	21	17	98	4	19	31	20	0	0	0	210
Libya	5	27	8	0	0	0	13	0	0	0	53
Madagascar	2	4	1	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	13
Malawi	1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
Mali	6	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18

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Africa–Continued											
Mauritania	1	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Mauritius	1	3	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	7
Morocco	37	141	42	14	3	3	68	0	2	0	310
Mozambique	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Namibia	1	5	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	9
Niger	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
Nigeria	179	240	444	37	28	5	656	0	0	0	1,589
Rwanda	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Senegal	28	51	80	2	0	1	7	0	0	0	169
Seychelles	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Sierra Leone	14	12	164	5	1	7	87	0	0	0	290
Somalia	27	45	27	5	0	0	44	0	0	0	148
South Africa	57	106	12	14	12	2	60	0	0	0	263
Sudan	34	80	34	2	0	0	44	0	0	0	194
Swaziland	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Tanzania	11	24	5	0	1	0	17	0	0	0	58
Togo	4	4	8	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	18
Tunisia	16	31	6	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	59
Uganda	4	4	17	1	1	2	7	0	0	0	36
Zambia	5	16	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	25
Zimbabwe	15	7	6	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	31
Region Total for Africa	**953**	**1,829**	**2,054**	**193**	**219**	**113**	**1,822**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**7,185**
Asia											
Afghanistan	80	157	23	2	0	3	130	0	0	0	395
Bahrain	2	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	7
Bangladesh	313	457	273	12	0	8	650	0	0	0	1,713

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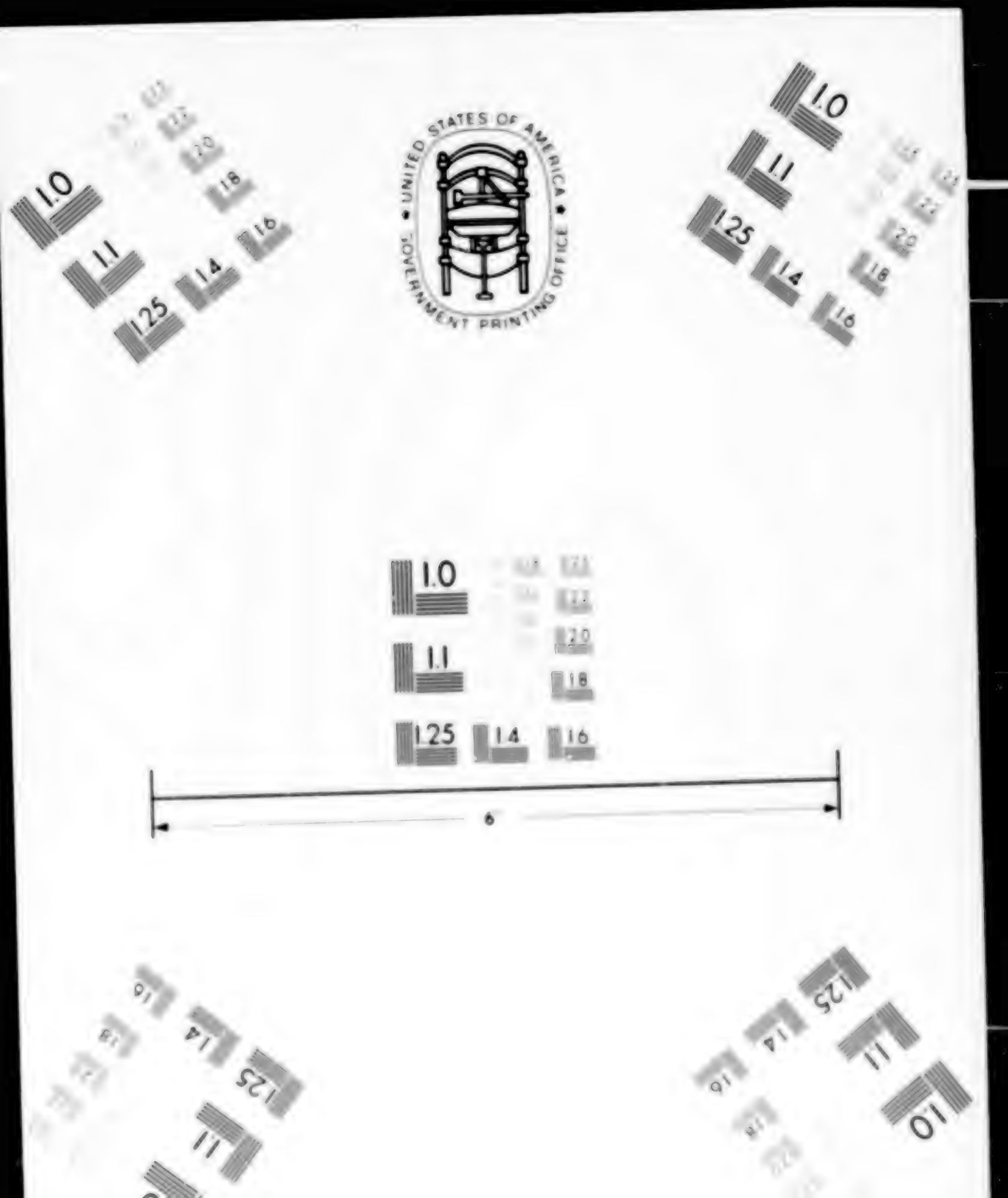
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Asia–Continued											
Bhutan	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Brunei	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Burma	16	48	5	2	2	0	86	0	0	0	159
Cambodia	68	436	67	85	404	3	176	0	0	0	1,239
China–mainland born	624	1,662	576	706	4,156	525	4,418	0	1	0	12,668
–Taiwan born	137	195	84	16	16	26	492	0	0	1	967
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	43	57	31	19	5	22	94	0	1	0	272
India	822	1,847	467	71	46	497	3,891	0	3	0	7,644
Indonesia	38	162	26	20	4	0	77	0	1	0	328
Iran	267	500	143	25	0	10	1,819	0	0	0	2,764
Iraq	66	531	32	10	0	0	395	0	0	0	1,034
Israel	159	171	98	5	1	0	203	0	0	0	637
Japan	591	1,144	67	50	6	33	74	0	1	0	1,966
Jordan	328	790	475	17	1	1	503	0	0	0	2,115
Korea, North	8	4	0	0	0	0	81	0	0	0	93
Korea, South	256	577	131	56	9	1,861	467	0	2	0	3,359
Kuwait	46	150	42	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	239
Laos	9	12	23	1	0	0	59	0	0	0	104
Lebanon	155	482	187	11	9	6	464	0	1	0	1,315
Malaysia	30	75	20	12	0	0	40	0	0	0	177
Maldives	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mongolia	3	5	9	2	4	0	1	0	0	0	24
Nepal	9	15	15	3	5	0	10	0	0	0	57
Oman	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Pakistan	670	672	1,156	28	0	26	977	0	3	1	3,533
Philippines	2,296	2,013	3,803	303	38	181	5,180	0	25	2	13,841
Qatar	2	6	12	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Saudi Arabia	17	58	41	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	122
Singapore	38	35	9	4	0	0	11	0	1	0	98
Sri Lanka	31	51	9	1	4	0	70	0	0	0	166

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Asia–Continued											
Syria	80	295	132	1	0	0	261	0	0	0	769
Thailand	111	288	118	56	9	65	103	0	0	0	750
United Arab Emirates	4	15	14	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	41
Vietnam	1,811	2,267	918	203	639	98	2,700	0	2	0	8,638
Yemen	166	159	439	3	0	0	22	0	2	1	792
Region Total for Asia	**9,298**	**15,342**	**9,447**	**1,738**	**5,358**	**3,365**	**23,459**	**0**	**43**	**5**	**68,055**
Europe											
Albania	77	202	33	15	16	0	141	0	0	0	484
Andorra	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Armenia	5	121	19	19	26	0	27	0	0	0	217
Austria	28	53	3	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	89
Azerbaijan	8	38	4	10	14	2	33	0	0	0	109
Belarus	14	36	21	19	129	0	42	0	0	0	261
Belgium	33	52	6	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	97
Bosnia and Herzegovina	23	61	6	5	1	0	8	0	0	0	104
Bulgaria	30	109	43	23	261	36	108	0	0	0	610
Croatia	16	35	7	6	0	1	17	0	0	0	82
Cyprus	14	16	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	35
Czech Republic	39	118	8	7	0	0	12	0	0	0	184
Denmark	47	71	5	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	128
Greenland	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Estonia	4	18	5	5	9	1	1	0	0	0	43
Finland	20	50	4	2	0	0	5	0	0	0	81
France	136	231	35	8	0	0	21	0	0	0	431
French Guiana	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
French Polynesia	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

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Europe–Continued											
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Guadeloupe	1	2	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Martinique	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Caledonia	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Reunion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Pierre and Miquelon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wallis and Futuna	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Georgia	7	21	7	35	16	0	11	0	0	0	97
Germany	685	534	113	62	0	1	49	0	2	0	1,446
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	771	675	161	57	2	3	106	0	2	0	1,777
Anguilla	1	0	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	9
Bermuda	14	9	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	27
British Virgin Islands	1	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6
Cayman Islands	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Falkland Islands	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Gibraltar	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Montserrat	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	6
Pitcairn	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
St. Helena	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Turks and Caicos Islands	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Greece	62	99	29	5	0	0	52	0	0	0	247
Hungary	33	111	10	12	12	1	24	0	0	0	203
Iceland	9	11	12	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	33
Ireland	45	76	15	2	0	0	6	0	0	0	144
Italy	152	124	22	8	0	0	43	0	1	0	350
Kazakhstan	24	56	8	19	657	15	11	0	0	0	790
Kyrgyzstan	3	11	2	7	0	0	4	0	0	0	27
Latvia	7	24	11	12	16	11	3	0	0	0	84

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Europe–Continued											
Liechtenstein	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	6	39	21	36	30	0	8	0	0	0	140
Luxembourg	4	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of	44	160	86	6	2	0	59	0	0	0	357
Malta	8	4	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	14
Moldova	9	31	11	24	45	1	22	0	0	0	143
Monaco	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	92	128	5	5	0	0	3	0	0	0	233
Aruba	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Netherlands Antilles	1	1	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	7
Norway	50	61	15	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	130
Poland	228	198	361	42	86	0	263	0	0	0	1,178
Portugal	26	48	10	4	0	1	38	0	0	0	127
Macau [1]	0	3	2	5	0	0	5	0	0	0	15
Romania	66	736	80	107	263	519	155	0	1	0	1,927
Russia	118	513	106	247	4,247	32	304	0	0	0	5,567
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slovakia	12	59	9	7	0	24	4	0	0	0	115
Slovenia	2	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Spain	71	162	10	6	0	0	23	0	0	0	272
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	58	177	12	5	0	0	9	0	0	0	261
Switzerland	54	64	12	1	0	0	8	0	0	0	139
Tajikistan	0	3	3	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	11
Turkey	110	248	92	25	3	0	85	0	0	0	563
Turkmenistan	1	7	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Ukraine	62	229	91	143	1,241	5	202	0	0	0	1,973
Uzbekistan	8	46	15	27	1	0	28	0	0	0	125
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yugoslavia [2]	30	166	17	14	3	0	91	0	0	0	321

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Europe–Continued											
Region Total for Europe	**3,374**	**6,061**	**1,587**	**1,062**	**7,080**	**653**	**2,056**	**0**	**6**	**0**	**21,879**
North America											
Antigua and Barbuda	6	2	23	3	0	0	22	0	0	0	56
Bahamas	16	12	12	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	46
Barbados	11	14	36	4	0	1	19	0	0	0	85
Belize	11	14	35	13	2	3	21	0	0	0	99
Canada	441	279	148	30	0	2	50	0	1	0	951
Costa Rica	46	133	67	26	8	1	16	0	0	0	297
Cuba	183	156	245	64	0	0	194	0	0	0	842
Dominica	19	8	49	1	2	0	40	0	0	0	119
Dominican Republic	1,271	430	2,324	110	11	1	1,365	0	2	0	5,514
El Salvador	346	241	960	85	3	1	1,479	0	0	0	3,115
Grenada	12	3	54	4	1	0	20	0	0	0	94
Guatemala	155	126	457	32	435	1,174	334	0	2	0	2,715
Haiti	738	147	1,902	27	144	48	1,402	0	4	2	4,414
Honduras	174	157	817	116	5	0	389	0	0	0	1,658
Jamaica	402	425	1,507	233	21	30	720	0	1	0	3,339
Mexico	8,543	2,340	7,428	333	71	2	17,856	0	14	6	36,593
Nicaragua	57	130	207	26	12	0	109	0	0	0	541
Panama	63	69	86	24	2	2	63	0	0	0	309
Saint Kitts and Nevis	13	1	41	3	1	0	13	0	0	0	72
Saint Lucia	8	11	48	5	1	0	31	0	0	0	104
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	12	8	44	6	0	0	15	0	0	0	85
Trinidad and Tobago	83	94	371	58	0	0	160	0	0	0	766
Region Total for North America	**12,610**	**4,800**	**16,861**	**1,208**	**719**	**1,265**	**24,319**	**0**	**24**	**8**	**61,814**

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Oceania											
Australia	165	302	20	37	0	0	6	0	0	0	530
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cocos Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fiji	21	109	15	5	0	7	67	0	0	0	224
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nauru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	77	114	10	15	0	0	6	0	0	0	222
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Niue	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Palau	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Papua New Guinea	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Samoa	5	3	5	0	4	2	6	0	0	0	25
Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tonga	4	7	16	0	0	6	3	0	0	0	36
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Region Total for Oceania	**275**	**537**	**66**	**59**	**4**	**15**	**88**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1,044**
South America											
Argentina	74	83	50	4	0	0	72	0	0	0	283
Bolivia	45	64	82	19	31	4	37	0	0	0	282
Brazil	157	315	185	90	32	1	80	0	1	0	861
Chile	59	130	46	31	2	1	45	0	0	0	314
Colombia	322	954	627	372	266	0	715	0	1	0	3,257
Ecuador	338	390	920	128	49	1	1,020	0	1	0	2,847

Table VIII
Immediate Relative Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	Spouse of U.S. Citizen IR-1	Spouse of U.S. Citizen (Conditional) CR-1	Child of U.S. Citizen IR-2	Child of U.S. Citizen (Conditional) CR-2	Orphan Adopted Abroad by U.S. Citizen IR-3	Orphan to be Adopted in U.S. by Citizen IR-4	Parent of U.S. Citizen at Least 21 Years of Age IR-5	Parent of U.S. Citizen who Acquired Status Under Pub. L. 97-271 VI-5	Widow(er) of U.S. Citizen IW-1	Child of Widow(er) of U.S. Citizen IW-2	Total
South America–Continued											
Guyana	329	148	465	21	6	11	543	0	0	0	1,523
Paraguay	12	27	15	2	0	1	11	0	0	0	68
Peru	225	491	517	140	23	0	738	0	0	0	2,134
Suriname	4	4	8	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	18
Uruguay	10	19	8	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	46
Venezuela	87	113	160	35	1	3	78	0	0	0	477
Region Total for South America	**1,662**	**2,738**	**3,083**	**842**	**411**	**22**	**3,349**	**0**	**3**	**0**	**12,110**
Grand Totals	**28,172**	**31,307**	**33,098**	**5,102**	**13,791**	**5,433**	**55,093**	**0**	**78**	**13**	**172,087**

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Table IX
Special Immigrant Visas Issued
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	SB	SC-1	SC-2	Total
Africa				
Algeria	0	0	0	0
Angola	0	0	0	0
Benin	0	0	0	0
Botswana	0	0	0	0
Burkina Faso	0	0	0	0
Burundi	0	0	0	0
Cameroon	0	0	0	0
Cape Verde	1	0	0	1
Central African Republic	0	0	0	0
Chad	0	0	0	0
Comoros	0	0	0	0
Congo, Republic of the	0	0	0	0
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	1	0	0	1
Cote d'Ivoire	0	0	0	0
Djibouti	0	0	0	0
Egypt	5	0	0	5
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	0
Eritrea	1	0	0	1
Ethiopia	1	0	0	1
Gabon	0	0	0	0
Gambia	0	0	0	0
Ghana	0	0	0	0
Guinea	0	0	0	0
Guinea-Bissau	0	0	0	0
Kenya	1	0	0	1
Lesotho	0	0	0	0
Liberia	1	0	0	1
Libya	1	0	0	1
Madagascar	0	0	0	0
Malawi	0	0	0	0
Mali	0	0	0	0
Mauritania	0	0	0	0
Mauritius	0	0	0	0
Morocco	0	0	0	0
Mozambique	0	0	0	0
Namibia	0	0	0	0
Niger	0	0	0	0
Nigeria	1	0	0	1
Rwanda	0	0	0	0
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	0	0
Senegal	0	0	0	0
Seychelles	0	0	0	0
Sierra Leone	0	0	0	0
Somalia	1	0	0	1
South Africa	1	0	0	1
Sudan	0	0	0	0
Swaziland	0	0	0	0
Tanzania	0	0	0	0
Togo	0	0	0	0

Table IX
Special Immigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	SB	SC-1	SC-2	Total
Africa–Continued				
Tunisia	0	0	0	0
Uganda	0	0	0	0
Zambia	0	0	0	0
Zimbabwe	1	0	0	1
Region Total for Africa	**16**	**0**	**0**	**16**
Asia				
Afghanistan	5	0	0	5
Bahrain	0	0	0	0
Bangladesh	2	0	0	2
Bhutan	0	0	0	0
Brunei	0	0	0	0
Burma	1	0	0	1
Cambodia	0	0	0	0
China–mainland born	31	0	0	31
–Taiwan born	9	0	0	9
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	4	0	0	4
India	141	0	0	141
Indonesia	9	0	0	9
Iran	15	0	0	15
Iraq	2	0	0	2
Israel	6	0	0	6
Japan	18	0	0	18
Jordan	2	0	0	2
Korea, North	2	0	0	2
Korea, South	37	0	0	37
Kuwait	0	0	0	0
Laos	4	0	0	4
Lebanon	7	0	0	7
Malaysia	6	0	0	6
Maldives	0	0	0	0
Mongolia	0	0	0	0
Nepal	5	0	0	5
Oman	0	0	0	0
Pakistan	42	0	0	42
Philippines	108	0	0	108
Qatar	0	0	0	0
Saudi Arabia	1	0	0	1
Singapore	0	0	0	0
Sri Lanka	1	0	0	1
Syria	6	0	0	6
Thailand	33	0	0	33
United Arab Emirates	1	0	0	1
Vietnam	8	0	0	8
Yemen	0	0	0	0
Region Total for Asia	**506**	**0**	**0**	**506**

Table IX
Special Immigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	SB	SC-1	SC-2	Total
Europe				
Albania	0	0	0	0
Andorra	0	0	0	0
Armenia	0	0	0	0
Austria	0	0	0	0
Azerbaijan	0	0	0	0
Belarus	0	0	0	0
Belgium	0	0	0	0
Bosnia and Herzegovina	0	0	0	0
Bulgaria	2	0	0	2
Croatia	0	0	0	0
Cyprus	0	0	0	0
Czech Republic	4	0	0	4
Denmark	3	0	0	3
Greenland	0	0	0	0
Estonia	0	0	0	0
Finland	1	0	0	1
France	9	0	0	9
French Guiana	0	0	0	0
French Polynesia	0	0	0	0
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	0	0	0	0
Guadeloupe	0	0	0	0
Martinique	0	0	0	0
New Caledonia	0	0	0	0
Reunion	0	0	0	0
St. Pierre and Miquelon	0	0	0	0
Wallis and Futuna	0	0	0	0
Georgia	0	0	0	0
Germany	11	0	0	11
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	38	0	0	38
Anguilla	0	0	0	0
Bermuda	0	0	0	0
British Virgin Islands	0	0	0	0
Cayman Islands	0	0	0	0
Falkland Islands	0	0	0	0
Gibraltar	0	0	0	0
Montserrat	1	0	0	1
Pitcairn	0	0	0	0
St. Helena	0	0	0	0
Turks and Caicos Islands	0	0	0	0
Greece	6	0	0	6
Hungary	0	0	0	0
Iceland	2	0	0	2
Ireland	5	0	0	5
Italy	5	0	0	5
Kazakhstan	1	0	0	1
Kyrgyzstan	0	0	0	0
Latvia	1	0	0	1
Liechtenstein	0	0	0	0
Lithuania	1	0	0	1

Table IX
Special Immigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	SB	SC-1	SC-2	Total
Europe–Continued				
Luxembourg	0	0	0	0
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of	1	0	0	1
Malta	0	0	0	0
Moldova	0	0	0	0
Monaco	0	0	0	0
Netherlands	3	0	0	3
Aruba	0	0	0	0
Netherlands Antilles	0	0	0	0
Norway	0	0	0	0
Poland	36	0	0	36
Portugal	3	0	0	3
Macau [1]	0	0	0	0
Romania	10	0	0	10
Russia	12	0	0	12
San Marino	0	0	0	0
Slovakia	0	0	0	0
Slovenia	0	0	0	0
Spain	9	0	0	9
Western Sahara	0	0	0	0
Sweden	1	0	0	1
Switzerland	2	0	0	2
Tajikistan	0	0	0	0
Turkey	15	0	0	15
Turkmenistan	0	0	0	0
Ukraine	3	0	0	3
Uzbekistan	0	0	0	0
Vatican City	0	0	0	0
Yugoslavia [2]	1	0	0	1
Region Total for Europe	**186**	**0**	**0**	**186**
North America				
Antigua and Barbuda	0	0	0	0
Bahamas	0	0	0	0
Barbados	1	0	0	1
Belize	2	0	0	2
Canada	2	0	0	2
Costa Rica	0	0	0	0
Cuba	3	0	0	3
Dominica	1	0	0	1
Dominican Republic	11	0	0	11
El Salvador	2	0	0	2
Grenada	2	0	0	2
Guatemala	0	0	0	0
Haiti	8	0	0	8
Honduras	0	0	0	0
Jamaica	5	0	0	5
Mexico	2	0	0	2

Table IX
Special Immigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	SB	SC-1	SC-2	Total
North America–Continued				
Nicaragua	0	0	0	0
Panama	14	0	0	14
Saint Kitts and Nevis	0	0	0	0
Saint Lucia	0	0	0	0
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	0	0	0	0
Trinidad and Tobago	10	0	0	10
Region Total for North America	**63**	**0**	**0**	**63**
Oceania				
Australia	5	0	0	5
Christmas Island	0	0	0	0
Cocos Islands	0	0	0	0
Fiji	6	0	0	6
Kiribati	0	0	0	0
Marshall Islands	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	0	0
Nauru	0	0	0	0
New Zealand	3	0	0	3
Cook Islands	0	0	0	0
Niue	0	0	0	0
Palau	0	0	0	0
Papua New Guinea	0	0	0	0
Samoa	2	0	0	2
Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0
Tonga	1	0	0	1
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0
Vanuatu	0	0	0	0
Region Total for Oceania	**17**	**0**	**0**	**17**
South America				
Argentina	6	0	0	6
Bolivia	8	0	0	8
Brazil	11	0	0	11
Chile	3	0	0	3
Colombia	9	0	0	9
Ecuador	13	0	0	13
Guyana	5	0	0	5
Paraguay	0	0	0	0
Peru	8	0	0	8
Suriname	0	0	0	0
Uruguay	1	0	0	1
Venezuela	4	0	0	4
Region Total for South America	**68**	**0**	**0**	**68**

Table IX
Special Immigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Foreign State	SB	SC-1	SC-2	Total
Grand Totals	**856**	**0**	**0**	**856**

Note: See Appendix E for explanation of the immigrant visa symbols used in this table.

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Table X
Immigrant Visas Issued Under the Vietnam Amerasian Category Established Under Section 584 of the Foreign Operations, Export Financing and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 1988 (as Contained in Section 101(e) of Pub. L. 100–202, as Amended)
Fiscal Years 1988 – 2001

Fiscal Year 2001

Area of Birth	Vietnam Amerasian Principal AM–1	Spouse/Child of AM–1 AM–2	Certain Relatives of AM–1 AM–3	Total
Vietnam	117	208	101	426
Grand Totals	**117**	**208**	**101**	**426**

Fiscal Years 1988 – 2001

Fiscal Year	Vietnam Amerasian Principal AM–1	Spouse/Child of AM–1 AM–2	Certain Relatives of AM–1 AM–3	Total
1988	907	44	1,680	2,631
1989	3,050	341	6,790	10,181
1990	5,566	1,525	10,730	17,821
1991	4,729	2,183	10,114	17,026
1992	3,817	2,453	10,302	16,572
1993	1,397	1,164	2,803	5,364
1994	291	312	654	1,257
1995	239	253	448	940
1996	249	383	332	964
1997	215	379	241	835
1998	117	172	110	399
1999	73	123	49	245
2000	317	539	196	1,052
2001	117	208	101	426
Grand Totals	**21,084**	**10,079**	**44,550**	**75,713**

Table XI
Immigrant Issuances in the "SM" Special Immigrant Category for Certain U.S. Armed Forces Personnel and Their Families
Fiscal Year 2001

Classification	Japan	Philippines	Total
Alien recruited outside the U.S. who has served, or is enlisted to serve, in the U.S. Armed Forces for 12 years (became eligible after October 1, 1991)	0	27	27
Spouse of the abovementioned alien	0	13	13
Child of the abovementioned alien	1	5	6
Alien recruited outside the U.S. who has served, or is enlisted to serve, in the U.S. Armed Forces for 12 years (eligible as of October 1, 1991)	0	0	0
Spouse or child of the abovementioned alien	0	0	0
Totals	**1**	**45**	**46**

Note: Of the 46 total issuances in the "SM" category in FY–01, 7 represent immigrant visas issued at consular offices abroad and 39 represent adjustments of status by the Immigration and Naturalization Service.

Table XII
Immediate Relative Visas Issued at Foreign Service Posts
(by Applicant's Area of Birth)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Foreign State	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa										
Algeria	57	50	65	80	56	62	71	78	67	104
Angola	10	6	13	4	6	15	4	3	15	12
Benin	-	4	4	3	4	17	19	12	7	3
Botswana	4	6	3	4	11	6	4	3	4	2
Burkina Faso	3	3	5	3	6	2	-	-	6	5
Burundi	1	-	1	5	3	10	5	3	2	7
Cameroon	26	35	50	70	86	119	114	186	120	92
Cape Verde	144	190	233	242	263	430	287	342	284	234
Central African Republic	-	5	-	1	4	-	1	1	2	2
Chad	-	-	-	1	2	1	1	2	3	4
Comoros	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	-	1	-
Congo, Republic of the	2	1	4	3	8	2	2	2	2	10
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	22	23	32	47	48	70	52	26	23	50
Cote d'Ivoire	15	34	36	31	51	65	45	66	83	110
Djibouti	9	2	1	2	5	12	4	3	4	5
Egypt	896	974	882	966	1,219	1,375	986	914	870	970
Equatorial Guinea	2	1	1	1	-	2	2	-	-	-
Eritrea [1]		68	167	237	216	189	126	110	166	198
Ethiopia	355	541	472	753	885	1,296	991	1,249	1,053	878
Gabon	3	3	-	1	5	6	7	-	6	5
Gambia	7	7	7	25	19	26	21	47	32	40
Ghana	381	407	410	433	766	1,074	945	836	961	743
Guinea	14	11	13	11	19	21	24	27	39	33
Guinea-Bissau	1	2	-	-	5	-	6	-	2	3
Kenya	77	106	101	104	144	146	99	137	169	145
Lesotho	3	2	1	4	7	2	2	5	2	-
Liberia	229	210	311	284	324	458	354	298	222	210
Libya	20	37	37	45	47	55	64	41	67	53
Madagascar	9	9	7	4	10	8	6	5	11	13
Malawi	5	10	4	10	7	6	7	7	12	4
Mali	5	7	2	9	12	6	8	16	14	18
Mauritania	-	1	-	-	1	-	2	1	2	6
Mauritius	12	11	10	7	7	9	3	10	2	7
Morocco	176	256	269	330	413	507	478	484	498	310
Mozambique	4	11	7	8	5	8	7	6	7	8
Namibia	6	6	1	8	5	1	5	1	4	9
Niger	3	9	-	6	8	4	3	4	4	3
Nigeria	830	759	800	1,462	1,856	2,374	1,888	1,349	1,648	1,589
Rwanda	1	2	1	6	4	7	6	1	4	3
Sao Tome and Principe	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	3	-
Senegal	25	29	51	52	69	137	77	133	143	169
Seychelles	8	7	8	10	7	1	3	1	3	4
Sierra Leone	93	105	212	192	307	363	153	245	468	290
Somalia	68	101	104	104	114	134	91	85	102	148
South Africa	224	320	337	226	269	254	212	286	291	263
Sudan	51	42	28	80	113	127	85	126	155	194
Swaziland	2	-	3	5	4	5	3	1	1	2
Tanzania	46	51	60	60	55	64	38	61	56	58
Togo	8	7	6	6	6	14	7	8	16	18
Tunisia	35	29	36	32	42	36	56	39	52	59
Uganda	22	26	51	32	32	46	36	36	48	36
Zambia	20	13	13	25	22	25	18	13	21	25
Zimbabwe	29	39	40	29	36	38	25	43	47	31

Table XII
Immediate Relative Visas Issued at Foreign Service Posts (Continued)
(by Applicant's Area of Birth)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Foreign State	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa–Continued										
Africa Total	**3,963**	**4,578**	**4,899**	**6,064**	**7,626**	**9,637**	**7,454**	**7,352**	**7,824**	**7,185**
Asia										
Afghanistan	209	350	391	341	462	424	387	431	437	395
Bahrain	6	8	8	8	8	9	3	9	14	7
Bangladesh	707	849	602	675	1,017	3,373	2,915	1,561	2,061	1,713
Bhutan	1	1	-	1	-	3	1	1	-	1
Brunei	1	1	2	1	5	1	1	1	5	1
Burma	122	137	147	138	202	213	180	189	194	159
Cambodia	379	335	486	806	820	1,025	918	869	1,358	1,239
China—mainland born	8,175	8,867	7,501	8,611	11,067	13,232	10,597	10,800	13,732	12,668
—Taiwan born	1,141	1,053	752	906	1,576	1,362	830	676	936	967
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	500	452	391	448	535	515	306	240	296	272
India	6,501	7,672	6,791	6,580	8,424	12,202	8,686	7,305	7,644	7,644
Indonesia	120	175	166	206	212	237	299	335	384	328
Iran	2,145	2,541	2,974	2,843	3,689	3,829	2,876	2,382	2,659	2,764
Iraq	1,147	962	580	661	660	668	507	656	775	1,034
Israel	528	588	574	497	596	697	475	557	578	637
Japan	1,049	1,112	1,194	1,383	1,305	1,377	1,468	1,494	1,763	1,966
Jordan	1,253	1,578	1,280	1,511	1,831	2,003	1,231	1,696	1,807	2,115
Korea	5,457	4,607	3,982							
Korea, North				58	78	41	21	45	90	93
Korea, South				3,520	3,252	3,316	3,267	3,588	3,475	3,359
Kuwait	109	174	164	172	227	210	187	252	276	239
Laos	141	202	141	181	192	221	162	119	108	104
Lebanon	1,178	1,257	1,254	1,120	1,154	1,283	1,111	881	1,032	1,315
Malaysia	173	166	162	157	137	177	147	183	200	177
Maldives	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Mongolia	-	3	1	5	3	12	4	6	16	24
Nepal	28	55	55	49	72	67	61	43	66	57
Oman	-	1	5	2	1	1	2	1	1	5
Pakistan	1,832	1,919	1,617	1,721	2,238	3,865	4,325	4,823	3,830	3,533
Philippines	21,823	23,413	20,149	16,134	20,824	19,971	11,572	11,449	11,324	13,841
Qatar	1	9	3	12	6	12	11	8	5	22
Saudi Arabia	46	62	55	83	99	90	92	104	133	122
Singapore	92	99	95	87	77	83	77	92	82	98
Sri Lanka	137	108	155	147	162	181	180	166	138	166
Syria	631	597	627	672	715	814	713	506	674	769
Thailand	703	763	666	613	648	741	644	815	993	750
United Arab Emirates	21	6	13	19	31	42	34	32	33	41
Vietnam	10,850	5,764	4,105	4,534	4,629	6,145	4,201	5,547	6,938	8,638
Yemen	1,288	985	537	931	1,110	1,548	1,028	729	1,376	792
Asia Total	**68,494**	**66,871**	**57,625**	**55,833**	**68,064**	**79,992**	**59,519**	**58,591**	**65,434**	**68,055**
Europe										
Albania	88	119	350	277	212	308	248	196	331	484
Andorra	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Armenia [2]	33	40	80	82	76	110	108	146	151	217
Austria	94	97	91	93	82	106	93	97	87	89
Azerbaijan [2]	16	18	18	30	33	38	48	58	92	109

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Foreign State	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Europe–Continued										
Belarus [2]	112	122	57	62	124	137	95	117	149	261
Belgium	111	123	87	101	118	140	117	133	133	97
Bosnia and Herzegovina [3]	10	73	49	52	46	81	47	41	66	104
Bulgaria	177	237	224	241	348	374	271	394	464	610
Croatia [3]	31	105	101	97	90	83	66	84	74	82
Cyprus	45	50	46	51	33	47	43	30	36	35
Czechoslovakia [4]	161									
Czech Republic [4]		157	147	155	124	166	135	154	193	184
Denmark	186	183	169	159	178	145	138	145	149	128
Greenland		-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	1
Estonia	4	5	18	14	30	31	42	30	48	43
Finland	86	90	82	80	90	103	78	100	96	81
France	415	518	538	497	503	479	448	485	441	431
French Guiana	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	2	-
French Polynesia	6	4	3	2	1	1	1	4	1	1
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	5	5	10	5	11	12	10	5	10	20
Martinique	3	4	-	4	2	5	6	5	2	-
New Caledonia	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	1	2
Reunion	-	1	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wallis and Futuna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgia [2]	6	19	35	88	105	48	26	39	66	97
Germany	4,929	2,762	2,998	2,274	1,746	1,917	1,959	1,805	1,694	1,446
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	2,713	2,544	2,177	1,907	1,713	1,776	1,476	1,673	1,848	1,777
Anguilla	6	6	3	4	5	4	4	4	5	9
Bermuda	43	53	36	41	39	41	26	33	20	27
British Virgin Islands	4	11	5	2	3	10	7	5	5	6
Cayman Islands	4	1	1	1	4	7	1	4	11	1
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1
Gibraltar	2	-	3	-	1	-	-	-	3	2
Montserrat	9	16	10	8	8	19	9	7	7	6
Pitcairn	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Helena	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Turks and Caicos Islands	1	2	1	4	6	3	4	3	3	1
Greece	417	474	368	362	313	328	293	253	228	247
Hungary	169	202	182	224	216	277	221	212	205	203
Iceland	36	37	38	48	45	36	24	30	35	33
Ireland	218	215	214	182	149	137	130	164	177	144
Italy	366	427	428	378	370	398	405	328	374	350
Kazakhstan [2]	17	31	68	47	43	75	112	194	497	790
Kyrgyzstan [2]	2	6	6	9	18	21	23	37	47	27
Latvia	22	39	55	80	119	143	107	94	67	84
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
Lithuania	45	70	155	151	148	149	163	167	152	140
Luxembourg	6	4	6	2	7	8	4	2	5	9
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of [3]			96	198	206	306	241	205	292	357
Malta	25	20	39	22	20	18	29	20	4	14
Moldova [2]	34	21	24	64	79	77	84	120	150	143
Monaco	-	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-
Netherlands	218	249	319	263	232	231	196	229	228	233

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Foreign State	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Europe–Continued										
Aruba	2	7	2	5	5	3	3	4	3	2
Netherlands Antilles	11	22	10	7	11	18	9	15	9	7
Norway	111	153	122	115	124	144	138	150	143	130
Poland	1,419	1,539	1,425	1,263	1,563	1,468	991	992	1,041	1,178
Portugal	309	297	246	233	226	231	200	184	136	127
Macau [6]	30	34	22	22	33	33	14	13	6	15
Romania	442	586	800	907	1,286	1,443	1,094	1,745	2,041	1,927
Russia [2]	606	1,173	2,102	2,588	3,219	4,625	5,233	5,346	5,417	5,567
San Marino	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Slovakia [4]		44	48	62	72	87	59	109	114	115
Slovenia [3]	1	9	11	12	5	7	7	7	7	8
Spain	409	332	357	315	370	353	280	283	289	272
Western Sahara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweden	181	283	183	255	249	278	251	300	286	261
Switzerland	183	178	211	221	206	218	180	179	175	139
Tajikistan [2]	2	3	3	5	9	5	4	8	11	11
Turkey	605	658	569	558	617	661	549	413	494	563
Turkmenistan [2]	3	3	4	6	10	5	9	13	14	11
Ukraine [2]	352	634	470	317	394	449	664	890	1,343	1,973
U.S.S.R. [2]	311									
Uzbekistan [2]	21	53	71	70	48	44	49	65	78	125
Vatican City	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yugoslavia [7]	570	647	596	440	460	534	372	240	249	321
Europe Total	**16,443**	**15,817**	**16,592**	**15,766**	**16,610**	**19,005**	**17,648**	**18,809**	**20,506**	**21,879**
North America										
Antigua and Barbuda	54	79	53	61	67	80	50	55	48	56
Bahamas	91	84	47	66	59	58	54	49	54	46
Barbados	102	167	100	92	137	125	150	105	94	85
Belize	160	201	189	133	121	162	96	132	106	99
Canada	2,934	2,648	2,573	1,783	1,392	1,152	842	1,057	978	951
Costa Rica	450	386	352	346	403	425	324	252	297	297
Cuba	424	676	936	1,659	768	882	730	790	1,273	842
Dominica	144	131	81	88	106	188	183	135	158	119
Dominican Republic	9,678	13,140	24,355	13,633	12,147	9,210	6,255	4,273	3,424	5,514
El Salvador	2,160	3,329	2,275	1,296	2,633	5,225	4,514	4,155	4,396	3,115
Grenada	100	131	123	123	131	162	166	121	88	94
Guatemala	1,557	1,793	1,666	1,087	1,273	2,088	2,32[illegible]	2,235	2,674	2,715
Haiti	211	2,679	2,612	1,980	2,370	3,227	4,283	6,130	8,689	4,414
Honduras	1,797	2,479	1,990	1,591	1,206	2,713	2,093	1,534	1,718	1,658
Jamaica	2,693	3,436	3,107	3,292	4,050	5,078	3,914	4,145	3,624	3,339
Mexico	17,694	25,290	23,229	6,808	11,710	20,339	22,273	31,329	28,437	36,593
Nicaragua	1,024	1,202	1,460	569	630	932	518	561	528	541
Panama	911	1,067	1,191	1,179	1,120	950	768	927	420	309
Saint Kitts and Nevis	72	91	71	50	64	82	66	62	56	72
Saint Lucia	83	104	98	75	134	158	116	99	102	104
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	82	93	77	41	110	127	104	99	98	85
Trinidad and Tobago	794	1,051	1,039	992	1,313	1,258	780	723	970	766
North America Total	**43,215**	**60,257**	**67,624**	**36,944**	**41,944**	**54,621**	**50,605**	**58,968**	**58,232**	**61,814**

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Foreign State	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Oceania										
Australia	546	498	424	421	477	500	513	496	484	530
Christmas Island	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Fiji	168	163	206	273	228	247	194	207	208	224
Kiribati	4	2	4	1	4	2	2	-	1	-
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Micronesia, Federated States of	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-
Nauru	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
New Zealand	157	176	157	147	157	199	176	186	205	222
Cook Islands	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Niue	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Pacific Islands, Trust Territory of the [1]	1	2	1							
Palau [1]				-	-	4	1	-	1	1
Papua New Guinea	5	4	-	4	12	7	3	3	6	5
Samoa	44	36	34	40	37	17	36	28	30	25
Solomon Islands	-	-	2	-	1	1	2	1	6	-
Tonga	27	29	41	48	39	41	27	32	36	36
Tuvalu	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-
Vanuatu	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Oceania Total	**954**	**913**	**869**	**939**	**955**	**1,019**	**955**	**954**	**982**	**1,044**
South America										
Argentina	339	285	275	245	268	217	170	216	244	283
Bolivia	315	333	297	220	267	382	354	331	311	282
Brazil	684	736	757	810	687	674	653	654	778	861
Chile	429	344	364	352	306	334	277	290	332	314
Colombia	3,028	3,843	3,578	2,872	3,364	4,314	3,826	3,132	3,215	3,257
Ecuador	1,330	1,526	1,592	1,582	1,836	2,473	2,002	3,279	2,048	2,847
Guyana	1,733	1,802	1,505	1,337	2,090	1,674	676	617	938	1,523
Paraguay	308	484	546	412	318	91	73	65	75	68
Peru	2,650	3,430	3,178	1,916	2,882	3,620	3,026	2,253	2,051	2,134
Suriname	17	21	27	24	31	27	27	20	25	18
Uruguay	109	122	114	67	65	87	61	50	49	46
Venezuela	334	415	432	439	570	607	434	467	566	477
South America Total	**11,276**	**13,341**	**12,665**	**10,276**	**12,684**	**14,500**	**11,579**	**11,374**	**10,632**	**12,110**
Grand Total	**144,345**	**161,777**	**160,274**	**125,822**	**147,883**	**178,774**	**147,760**	**156,048**	**163,610**	**172,087**

[1] On April 27, 1993, the United States recognized the independence of Eritrea.

[2] On December 25, 1991, the United States recognized the independence of Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan, the 12 republics that had constituted the U.S.S.R.

[3] On April 7, 1992, the United States recognized the independence of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, and Slovenia, three of the republics that had previously formed constituent parts of Yugoslavia.

[4] On January 1, 1993, the United States recognized the independence of the Czech Republic and Slovakia, separate states that had previously comprised Czechoslovakia.

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[5] On February 8, 1994, the United States recognized the independence of The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

[6] Effective December 20, 1999, Macau was returned to Chinese administration and was designated as the Special Administrative Region of Macau. Title II (United States-Macau Policy Act of 2000) of Pub. L. 106-570 (Assistance for International Malaria Control Act) enacted December 27, 2000 provides that, notwithstanding any change in the exercise of sovereignty over Macau, the laws of the United States shall continue to apply with respect to Macau in the same manner as before December 20, 1999.

[7] On November 17, 2000, the United States Government established diplomatic relations with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, recognizing it as an independent state. The former practice of using Serbia and Montenegro for the name of this entity was discontinued.

[8] On October 1, 1994, the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (Palau) ended its status as a United Nations Trust Territory administered by the United States and became an independent state, in free association with the United States.

Table XIII
Significant Source Countries of Immigrant Orphans
(Totals of IR–3 and IR–4 Immigrant Visas Issued to Orphans)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Foreign State	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Belarus [1]	21	36	6	7	36	49	2	32	46	129
Bolivia	73	124	37	21	33	77	73	44	60	35
Brazil	138	161	149	146	103	91	90	64	26	33
Bulgaria	91	133	97	110	163	148	151	221	214	297
Cambodia	15	1	3	10	32	66	249	249	402	407
Chile	179	61	79	90	63	41	26	20	10	3
China—mainland born	206	330	787	2,130	3,333	3,597	4,206	4,101	5,053	4,681
—Taiwan born	36	32	35	23	19	19	30	32	28	42
Colombia	404	426	351	350	255	233	236	231	246	266
Costa Rica	64	48	29	19	20	22	7	5	17	9
Dominican Republic	42	39	17	15	13	19	13	16	8	12
Ecuador	37	49	48	67	51	43	55	61	57	50
El Salvador	117	100	38	30	17	5	13	8	9	4
Ethiopia	37	30	54	63	44	82	96	103	95	158
Georgia [1]	2	3	17	51	77	21	6	2	4	16
Guatemala	418	512	436	449	427	788	969	1,002	1,518	1,609
Haiti	16	51	61	49	68	142	121	96	131	192
Honduras	249	179	77	28	28	26	9	14	9	5
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	29	30	34	30	36	21	27	13	14	27
Hungary	26	43	34	28	51	72	34	18	25	13
India	352	331	412	371	380	349	478	499	503	543
Jamaica	27	48	35	45	34	31	38	52	39	51
Japan	68	64	49	63	36	45	39	37	36	39
Kazakhstan [1]	1	19	38	16	1	26	54	113	398	672
Korea	1,840	1,775	1,795	1,666	1,516	1,654	1,829	2,008	1,794	1,870
Latvia	4	15	33	59	82	108	76	58	25	27
Liberia	0	1	0	3	3	38	9	19	25	50
Lithuania	18	24	95	98	78	78	72	63	29	30
Mexico	91	91	85	83	76	152	168	137	106	73
Moldova [1]	20	1	5	44	40	43	46	63	79	46
Paraguay	212	412	483	351	258	33	7	6	1	1
Peru	309	224	37	15	17	14	26	27	38	23
Philippines	357	360	314	298	229	163	200	195	173	219
Poland	109	70	94	30	64	78	77	97	83	86
Romania	121	97	199	275	555	621	406	895	1,119	782
Russia [1]	324	746	1,530	1,896	2,454	3,816	4,491	4,348	4,269	4,279
Thailand	86	69	47	53	55	63	84	77	88	74
Ukraine [1]	55	273	164	4	1	59	180	323	659	1,246
Uzbekistan [1]	1	8	44	47	14	3	1	0	1	1
Vietnam	22	110	220	318	354	425	603	709	724	737
Other	255	251	265	228	224	260	286	311	316	387
Grand Totals	**6,472**	**7,377**	**8,333**	**9,679**	**11,340**	**13,621**	**15,583**	**16,369**	**18,477**	**19,224**

[1] On December 25, 1991, the United States recognized the independence of Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan, the 12 republics that had constituted the U.S.S.R.

Table XIV
Immigrant Visas Issued at Foreign Service Posts
(by Foreign State Chargeability)
(All Categories)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Foreign State	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa										
Algeria	218	181	201	539	663	335	590	732	559	565
Angola	39	46	42	27	29	33	28	21	44	27
Benin	5	6	5	10	15	33	43	37	35	35
Botswana	4	7	15	9	11	9	5	3	9	5
Burkina Faso	3	5	8	4	6	4	2	1	17	16
Burundi	1	1	3	13	16	12	7	7	2	9
Cameroon	54	82	90	347	389	629	510	883	467	478
Cape Verde	549	694	648	779	781	834	689	883	813	467
Central African Republic	1	5	1	1	4	-	1	5	2	4
Chad	-	-	-	1	8	5	2	5	6	21
Comoros	-	1	-	1	2	2	-	-	1	-
Congo, Republic of the	2	7	4	7	8	6	7	13	4	19
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	38	39	61	119	128	142	163	139	170	219
Cote d'Ivoire	36	70	61	82	136	130	127	154	176	216
Djibouti	13	2	2	17	16	14	12	7	12	9
Egypt	2,179	2,306	2,233	5,072	4,305	4,075	3,952	4,005	3,323	3,166
Equatorial Guinea	2	1	1	1	1	2	5	3	1	1
Eritrea [1]		83	198	751	518	855	517	273	320	571
Ethiopia	621	830	715	4,266	4,173	4,336	3,225	4,229	2,844	4,661
Gabon	5	3	1	2	10	9	9	-	8	5
Gambia	15	26	25	52	56	31	29	68	67	65
Ghana	1,000	1,074	941	2,855	4,309	4,101	3,134	3,101	3,495	2,306
Guinea	19	16	19	57	39	33	59	68	66	72
Guinea-Bissau	3	4	-	1	6	2	9	2	2	9
Kenya	596	672	562	1,147	807	791	1,126	1,216	1,346	1,397
Lesotho	4	2	4	5	7	3	2	5	5	-
Liberia	427	392	517	630	796	1,144	1,112	928	882	637
Libya	62	70	67	118	99	78	124	83	108	102
Madagascar	29	16	10	18	23	15	15	1	21	20
Malawi	50	37	20	42	30	64	31	47	38	23
Mali	11	8	7	28	26	12	18	32	48	36
Mauritania	-	1	1	2	2	-	6	4	13	19
Mauritius	21	40	46	53	34	28	25	35	22	33
Morocco	334	416	421	1,116	861	1,751	1,781	2,864	2,774	3,802
Mozambique	31	37	21	17	25	32	25	33	18	26
Namibia	8	8	6	16	9	2	7	4	12	20
Niger	5	10	2	8	14	5	5	11	10	13
Nigeria	1,948	1,751	1,710	5,523	5,991	6,370	5,369	4,658	5,476	5,260
Rwanda	1	4	6	11	23	17	19	46	[illegible]	50
Sao Tome and Principe	8	-	3	2	2	1	2	2	3	1
Senegal	55	57	79	364	265	261	174	264	227	287
Seychelles	21	12	15	15	9	1	3	7	4	4
Sierra Leone	311	351	408	642	1,377	1,228	632	660	1,485	1,209
Somalia	101	141	129	478	454	373	412	470	783	536
South Africa	950	1,018	930	1,275	1,222	904	987	882	1,084	1,200
Sudan	79	101	67	721	1,073	778	970	1,536	1,289	1,082
Swaziland	2	2	4	7	7	7	3	2	3	3
Tanzania	293	322	336	511	430	316	268	342	309	241
Togo	15	9	13	45	77	110	255	210	354	468
Tunisia	127	84	106	117	134	87	130	114	132	113
Uganda	196	263	262	308	285	262	291	252	231	206
Zambia	95	111	118	136	124	137	148	114	111	132

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Foreign State	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa–Continued										
Zimbabwe	122	147	122	146	167	105	76	109	124	122
Africa Total	**10,709**	**11,571**	**11,266**	**28,514**	**30,002**	**30,514**	**27,141**	**29,579**	**29,364**	**29,988**
Asia										
Afghanistan	416	590	584	675	718	619	617	855	741	722
Bahrain	37	47	34	41	39	39	32	34	53	47
Bangladesh	2,248	2,928	2,977	6,895	5,583	8,122	8,364	5,101	6,213	5,123
Bhutan	1	3	-	1	-	3	1	1	-	2
Brunei	8	4	10	3	16	4	9	9	7	8
Burma	597	650	762	1,077	1,068	985	1,337	1,099	1,160	1,031
Cambodia	573	504	640	1,018	1,093	1,243	1,181	1,158	1,668	1,575
China—mainland born	26,711	25,602	20,891	24,448	27,397	27,443	27,776	29,901	28,993	23,147
—Taiwan born	7,788	7,159	5,388	5,678	8,180	6,757	6,394	4,793	5,634	5,565
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	9,030	8,046	5,680	6,306	5,051	3,877	3,881	3,817	3,261	3,416
India	24,344	28,251	24,833	26,403	29,381	28,104	25,292	23,606	24,201	28,041
Indonesia	2,380	1,080	888	493	470	469	741	849	1,050	779
Iran	5,343	6,788	6,171	5,210	6,320	5,913	5,458	4,898	5,485	5,982
Iraq	3,418	1,881	1,312	1,516	1,330	1,219	1,072	1,415	1,349	1,497
Israel	2,179	2,167	1,765	918	1,061	1,058	813	891	970	1,279
Japan	7,144	3,149	2,838	1,950	2,037	2,049	2,216	2,272	2,852	4,141
Jordan	2,611	3,220	2,470	2,757	3,177	3,224	2,279	2,925	3,062	3,489
Korea	14,391	12,382	10,799							
Korea, North				134	133	82	75	97	116	123
Korea, South				10,272	9,089	8,290	8,431	8,518	6,905	6,412
Kuwait	406	490	430	392	514	426	402	555	607	561
Laos	256	327	271	268	282	324	265	264	227	192
Lebanon	3,518	3,391	2,902	2,340	2,665	2,423	2,460	2,151	2,520	2,860
Malaysia	866	842	636	404	350	362	400	606	520	526
Maldives	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Mongolia	-	3	2	8	3	13	13	15	20	39
Nepal	138	184	130	186	232	255	321	295	230	506
Oman	3	7	15	12	15	11	13	6	18	20
Pakistan	7,295	7,906	7,172	8,618	8,834	9,900	10,314	12,830	10,256	11,835
Philippines	44,000	47,455	40,839	35,474	42,003	38,257	25,953	23,293	30,280	31,077
Qatar	18	51	10	20	20	18	21	29	27	45
Saudi Arabia	134	157	139	142	195	155	168	211	419	279
Singapore	247	296	230	159	179	147	152	202	168	297
Sri Lanka	515	573	610	599	646	727	725	661	540	784
Syria	1,469	1,715	1,635	1,422	1,815	1,469	1,694	1,303	1,622	1,932
Thailand	2,095	2,032	1,542	1,292	1,241	1,149	1,350	1,447	1,681	1,345
United Arab Emirates	98	108	174	135	178	216	211	198	264	269
Vietnam	39,601	16,851	8,995	12,777	11,095	16,317	11,017	14,454	17,813	18,634
Yemen	2,156	1,626	790	1,641	1,949	1,944	1,353	1,060	1,839	1,034
Asia Total	**212,034**	**188,465**	**154,564**	**161,684**	**174,359**	**173,614**	**152,801**	**148,819**	**162,772**	**164,614**
Europe										
Albania	144	240	749	1,164	3,866	4,553	4,341	4,285	3,998	4,120
Andorra	2	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-

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(by Foreign State Chargeability)
(All Categories)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Foreign State	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Europe–Continued										
Armenia [2]	49	100	236	897	1,324	1,185	559	637	476	616
Austria	318	216	208	245	185	209	200	205	190	227
Azerbaijan [2]	28	30	29	254	280	200	260	233	265	260
Belarus [2]	127	140	93	286	400	368	449	515	657	787
Belgium	339	257	218	216	257	221	165	237	247	280
Bosnia and Herzegovina [3]	20	123	93	156	118	161	96	92	123	173
Bulgaria	259	398	453	1,428	956	2,450	3,715	4,039	3,238	3,094
Croatia [3]	102	223	223	360	274	207	150	208	154	174
Cyprus	152	116	96	96	83	75	67	63	75	61
Czechoslovakia [4]	493									
Czech Republic [4]		330	268	270	215	264	205	238	321	288
Denmark	410	318	298	300	269	193	204	218	225	256
Greenland	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	1
Estonia	9	15	39	61	64	65	50	69	93	67
Finland	257	262	217	223	275	186	166	188	169	166
France	1,495	1,128	1,140	963	944	810	917	1,087	1,040	1,457
French Guiana	2	14	3	7	5	-	1	3	3	1
French Polynesia	9	6	7	4	1	2	3	4	3	1
French Southern and Antarctic Lands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Guadeloupe	46	37	29	27	23	28	18	33	18	32
Martinique	9	10	11	4	6	7	8	12	12	2
New Caledonia	4	-	6	1	2	1	3	-	1	3
Reunion	-	2	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	-
St. Pierre and Miquelon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wallis and Futuna	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgia [2]	17	49	75	230	312	149	164	196	170	224
Germany	6,246	3,652	3,774	3,368	2,995	3,087	3,404	3,607	3,330	3,256
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	9,005	7,312	6,081	3,817	3,664	3,329	2,884	3,130	3,910	5,547
Anguilla	29	14	24	14	30	10	18	20	15	50
Bermuda	81	95	74	49	71	51	41	42	27	39
British Virgin Islands	49	33	35	9	16	23	10	18	22	21
Cayman Islands	12	5	11	6	4	14	4	10	13	6
Falkland Islands	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	1
Gibraltar	4	-	4	1	1	-	-	2	4	2
Montserrat	65	76	49	60	40	55	48	28	21	17
Pitcairn	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
St. Helena	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Turks and Caicos Islands	15	20	14	10	11	8	8	4	4	3
Northern Ireland (DV only)				86	74	30	47	50	24	16
Greece	803	913	726	662	610	554	497	423	407	418
Hungary	525	436	393	451	455	410	411	354	347	369
Iceland	103	100	89	79	115	71	65	47	71	57
Ireland	14,893	14,191	21,735	1,822	706	558	477	498	441	380
Italy	1,255	1,215	1,060	924	761	757	853	721	716	804
Kazakhstan [2]	23	38	73	126	252	168	365	420	740	1,036
Kyrgyzstan [2]	3	15	11	42	52	52	68	115	99	95
Latvia	38	81	101	165	185	231	201	191	180	193
Liechtenstein	-	-	-	-	4	1	1	1	-	1
Lithuania	88	167	282	470	557	507	1,044	957	1,053	1,065
Luxembourg	12	5	13	4	16	11	4	7	10	12

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Foreign State	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Europe–Continued										
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of [5]			257	520	658	640	616	511	602	660
Malta	50	35	54	65	33	40	50	39	13	26
Moldova [2]	57	59	39	209	254	163	247	313	368	319
Monaco	2	-	-	1	2	1	-	1	2	1
Netherlands	591	487	510	500	459	358	310	341	415	542
Aruba	26	20	9	11	5	8	6	7	10	5
Netherlands Antilles	53	61	43	31	37	35	22	38	35	39
Norway	350	254	190	222	210	184	175	187	205	188
Poland	21,825	24,982	26,683	8,250	10,268	7,994	5,197	6,302	6,529	4,724
Portugal	2,145	1,635	1,867	1,645	1,061	976	952	631	475	460
Macau [6]	309	300	215	390	356	228	207	250	57	124
Romania	759	1,079	1,236	3,607	3,264	4,320	4,383	5,136	4,826	4,208
Russia [2]	705	1,401	2,485	4,608	4,944	6,139	6,900	7,229	7,769	7,233
San Marino	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Slovakia [4]		143	161	434	429	428	267	391	316	375
Slovenia [3]	11	25	32	30	24	23	19	20	16	14
Spain	846	633	627	550	548	481	396	421	413	444
Western Sahara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sweden	702	572	412	532	531	454	417	494	487	551
Switzerland	462	392	389	426	481	638	486	452	428	430
Tajikistan [2]	5	14	10	52	38	36	33	60	93	36
Turkey	1,337	1,157	1,002	2,121	2,323	2,351	2,210	1,423	1,409	1,604
Turkmenistan [2]	7	3	4	10	30	27	50	37	38	33
Ukraine [2]	449	772	644	2,198	2,328	2,075	3,125	4,224	4,910	4,570
U.S.S.R. [2]	402									
Uzbekistan [2]	58	94	113	262	254	204	302	376	513	579
Vatican City	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yugoslavia [7]	1,301	1,271	1,188	1,252	951	993	915	679	691	787
Europe Total	**69,994**	**67,774**	**77,211**	**47,288**	**49,971**	**50,059**	**49,478**	**52,769**	**53,533**	**53,631**
North America										
Antigua and Barbuda	376	372	263	232	185	251	193	318	203	212
Bahamas	221	310	227	173	139	115	98	99	101	84
Barbados	691	826	496	423	413	360	422	346	293	229
Belize	705	790	618	392	370	407	228	310	355	276
Canada	7,150	7,878	7,165	4,145	3,924	2,988	2,620	2,643	2,850	4,937
Costa Rica	987	873	736	610	605	589	476	388	447	391
Cuba	1,783	2,091	2,818	6,040	2,569	2,999	2,812	4,710	4,675	3,554
Dominica	666	535	391	467	432	445	508	568	501	466
Dominican Republic	38,849	40,594	49,973	34,021	30,498	21,381	15,551	13,505	11,685	14,606
El Salvador	20,994	23,942	17,126	7,504	8,345	9,377	7,361	9,032	8,611	6,424
Grenada	614	603	419	378	350	383	428	407	286	257
Guatemala	7,047	10,526	6,392	4,031	3,729	3,565	3,798	4,098	4,146	3,786
Haiti	927	8,686	12,321	8,299	9,403	10,211	9,932	14,327	18,495	13,487
Honduras	5,028	6,428	4,588	3,723	2,253	4,455	3,662	2,762	3,049	3,007
Jamaica	13,732	13,511	11,014	13,022	13,217	12,374	9,810	11,654	9,923	8,404
Mexico	82,375	100,436	98,285	47,372	52,625	56,202	56,999	83,900	68,412	63,028
Nicaragua	3,166	3,300	3,260	1,231	1,310	1,391	913	1,083	1,006	928

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(All Categories)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Foreign State	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
North America–Continued										
Panama	1,546	1,871	1,740	1,667	1,693	1,333	1,106	1,275	1,036	697
Saint Kitts and Nevis	485	400	243	282	242	254	306	342	295	278
Saint Lucia	448	451	292	263	320	331	343	324	282	359
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	505	487	337	205	261	286	256	342	253	243
Trinidad and Tobago	4,188	4,127	4,466	3,314	3,268	2,925	2,438	2,329	3,177	2,498
North America Total	**192,483**	**229,437**	**223,170**	**137,794**	**136,151**	**132,622**	**120,260**	**154,762**	**140,081**	**128,151**
Oceania										
Australia	778	795	676	718	726	718	681	817	906	1,171
Christmas Island	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cocos Islands	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Fiji	629	673	920	1,444	1,378	1,366	1,680	1,371	1,189	1,092
Kiribati	5	3	5	1	4	2	2	-	1	-
Marshall Islands	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Micronesia, Federated States of	3	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	1
Nauru	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-
New Zealand	371	353	320	264	264	323	292	355	456	500
Cook Islands	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-
Niue	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Pacific Islands, Trust Territory of the [8]	2	2	1							
Palau [8]				-	-	6	6	-	3	1
Papua New Guinea	10	6	1	5	15	8	5	6	14	8
Samoa	90	80	99	68	79	35	45	54	44	46
Solomon Islands	-	2	4	-	2	1	2	1	6	-
Tonga	189	217	190	274	180	141	122	197	144	107
Tuvalu	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-
Vanuatu	1	-	-	1	-	-	4	1	1	-
Oceania Total	**2,080**	**2,138**	**2,216**	**2,780**	**2,648**	**2,601**	**2,835**	**2,802**	**2,771**	**2,927**
South America										
Argentina	2,325	1,504	1,282	572	679	460	379	511	643	797
Bolivia	1,103	1,200	1,098	700	589	624	673	772	694	636
Brazil	1,718	1,884	1,989	1,559	1,288	1,076	1,151	1,188	1,452	1,721
Chile	1,159	1,075	945	715	521	530	501	489	603	543
Colombia	9,640	9,965	8,115	7,009	6,582	6,792	6,375	6,049	6,216	5,364
Ecuador	6,287	6,414	5,122	5,197	4,971	4,911	4,604	7,128	4,680	5,471
Guyana	7,995	7,780	7,062	6,671	7,962	5,994	2,631	2,493	4,721	6,259
Paraguay	406	573	685	464	392	137	12[illegible]	133	145	128
Peru	7,320	8,092	7,329	4,933	6,146	5,916	5,833	5,237	4,534	4,711
Suriname	105	98	86	90	75	68	49	38	110	102
Uruguay	462	365	305	154	131	154	121	92	108	127
Venezuela	950	1,204	1,099	911	973	847	732	801	1,094	910
South America Total	**39,470**	**40,154**	**35,117**	**28,975**	**30,309**	**27,509**	**23,169**	**24,931**	**25,000**	**26,769**
Grand Total	**526,770**	**539,539**	**503,544**	**407,035**	**423,440**	**416,919**	**375,684**	**413,662**	**413,521**	**406,080**

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(All Categories)
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[1] On April 27, 1993, the United States recognized the independence of Eritrea. As a result, a separate immigrant visa chargeability was established for Eritrea.

[2] On December 25, 1991, the United States recognized the independence of the 12 republics that had constituted the U.S.S.R. As a result, the U.S.S.R. immigrant visa chargeability was replaced by separate foreign state chargeabilities for Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan.

[3] On April 7, 1992, the United States recognized the independence of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, and Slovenia, three of the republics that had previously formed constituent parts of Yugoslavia. As a result, separate immigrant visa chargeabilities were established for these foreign states.

[4] On January 1, 1993, the United States recognized the independence of the Czech Republic and Slovakia, separate states that had previously comprised Czechoslovakia. As a result, the Czechoslovakia immigrant visa chargeability was replaced by separate foreign state chargeabilities for the Czech Republic and Slovakia.

[5] On February 8, 1994, the United States recognized the independence of The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, which had been within the Yugoslavia immigrant visa chargeability. As a result, a separate chargeability was established for The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

[6] Effective December 20, 1999, Macau was returned to Chinese administration and was designated as the Special Administrative Region of Macau. Title II (United States-Macau Policy Act of 2000) of Pub. L. 106–570 (Assistance for International Malaria Control Act) enacted December 27, 2000 provides that, notwithstanding any change in the exercise of sovereignty over Macau, the laws of the United States shall continue to apply with respect to Macau in the same manner as before December 20, 1999.

[7] On November 17, 2000, the United States Government established diplomatic relations with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, recognizing it as an independent state. The former practice of using Serbia and Montenegro for the name of this entity was discontinued.

[8] On October 1, 1994, the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (Palau) ended its status as a United Nations Trust Territory administered by the United States and became an independent state, in free association with the United States.

Table XV
Immigrant Visas Issued by Issuing Office
(All Categories, Including Replaced Visas)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Issuing Office	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa (AF)										
Benin, Cotonou	5	5	6	11	8	21	20	19	14	10
Botswana, Gaborone [1]	7	28								
Burkina Faso, Ouagadougou	4	11	6	-	5	1	1	2	11	16
Burundi, Bujumbura [2]	2	1	9	8	4					
Cameroon, Yaounde	43	80	94	315	349	560	450	931	541	580
Cape Verde, Praia	508	671	612	752	709	799	664	858	783	449
Central African Republic, Bangui [3]	2	1	1	4	2	-				
Congo, Republic of the, Brazzaville [2]	2	3	3	2	4					
Congo, Democratic Republic of the, Kinshasa	21	26	33	98	97	110	113	-	3	23
Cote d'Ivoire, Abidjan	103	153	160	151	252	246	619	588	1,055	1,042
Djibouti, Djibouti	37	41	35	53	64	19	36	25	20	22
Ethiopia, Addis Ababa	365	711	746	5,054	4,170	4,688	3,215	3,809	2,570	4,829
Gabon, Libreville	6	7	5	6	11	16	9	6	14	14
Gambia, Banjul [1]	14	33								
Ghana, Accra	958	1,052	963	2,710	4,229	4,129	3,279	3,191	3,449	2,201
Guinea-Bissau, Bissau [1]	3	2								
Kenya, Nairobi	404	483	317	1,070	836	718	1,084	1,231	1,473	1,576
Liberia, Monrovia	283	241	272	443	535	836	853	718	781	535
Madagascar, Antananarivo	17	14	8	10	9	10	13	11	11	19
Malawi, Lilongwe	36	15	12	14	14	17	19	16	16	6
Mali, Bamako [4]	9	7	3							
Mauritius, Port Louis [5]	19	36	42	17						
Mozambique, Maputo [1]	2	4								
Niger, Niamey	7	9	6	1	7	9	2	7	8	2
Nigeria, Lagos	1,936	1,745	1,637	5,319	5,759	6,206	5,259	4,507	5,308	5,059
Rwanda, Kigali [5]	6	3	-	-						
Senegal, Dakar	78	76	115	486	406	340	335	685	1,015	869
Seychelles, Victoria [5]	14	8	18	16						
Sierra Leone, Freetown [6]	332	345	414	594	1,347	1,091	-	-	-	-
South Africa, Johannesburg	990	1,065	1,049	1,377	1,392	1,006	1,110	1,032	1,229	1,243
Sudan, Khartoum [7]	129	99	23	31	103	-	-	-	-	-
Tanzania, Dar Es Salaam	153	159	169	304	194	159	127	204	172	184
Togo, Lome	16	9	17	54	82	110	264	210	359	474
Uganda, Kampala [4]	15	30	37							
Zambia, Lusaka	83	139	113	145	94	133	133	64	78	100
Zimbabwe, Harare	80	110	104	104	117	118	98	90	99	82
Africa Total	**6,689**	**7,422**	**7,029**	**19,165**	**20,798**	**21,342**	**17,703**	**18,204**	**19,009**	**19,335**
East Asia and Pacific (EAP)										
Australia, Perth	115	109	105	104	84	118	98	129	121	151
Sydney	1,166	1,241	1,048	1,008	961	1,018	981	1,081	1,226	1,541
Burma, Rangoon	410	438	485	772	804	716	982	886	886	793
Cambodia, Phnom Penh [8]			193	885	979	1,105	1,048	1,003	1,521	1,399
China, Guangzhou	16,975	17,819	14,624	18,205	21,414	22,440	23,825	24,212	26,030	20,052
Fiji, Suva	758	833	1,046	1,657	1,522	1,477	1,722	1,520	1,285	1,184
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, Hong Kong	16,368	14,738	11,550	13,008	11,047	8,705	8,041	7,190	6,554	8,087
Indonesia, Jakarta	2,062	907	751	403	368	394	639	774	928	665
Japan, Tokyo	7,173	3,314	3,155	2,212	2,191	2,337	2,548	2,590	3,095	4,312

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Issuing Office	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
East Asia and Pacific (EAP)–Continued										
Naha	481	410	358	356	360	319	299	307	298	345
Korea, Seoul	13,913	11,829	10,243	9,636	8,680	8,002	8,150	8,232	6,767	6,134
Laos, Vientiane	122	208	136	204	226	254	212	207	176	143
Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur	924	914	660	386	339	328	402	593	485	462
New Zealand, Auckland	495	482	446	382	409	432	473	491	648	588
Papua New Guinea, Port Moresby	26	16	10	18	25	16	24	30	35	9
Philippines, Manila	42,996	46,583	39,878	34,540	41,218	37,277	24,972	22,227	29,336	29,738
Singapore, Singapore	357	378	288	244	287	251	300	357	352	555
Thailand, Bangkok	2,079	2,126	1,585	1,288	1,233	1,152	1,335	1,489	1,649	1,316
Orderly Departure Program, Bangkok [9]	39,500	15,513	8,018	11,926	10,080	15,372	9,742	10,804		
Refugee and Migration Affairs Office, Bangkok [3]	259	391	389	47	16	21				
Vietnam, Ho Chi Minh City [10]								2,302	16,565	17,757
Taipei [11]	9,369	8,455	6,387	7,057	10,321	8,377	7,471	5,475	6,437	6,249
East Asia and Pacific Total	**155,548**	**126,704**	**101,355**	**104,338**	**112,564**	**110,111**	**93,264**	**91,899**	**104,394**	**101,480**
Europe (EUR)										
Albania, Tirana [12]		94	683	1,126	3,767	4,406	3,910	22	435	3,976
Austria, Vienna	440	310	329	385	343	315	293	327	291	400
Belgium, Brussels	512	370	342	314	431	312	299	342	356	412
Bermuda, Hamilton	129	169	120	88	103	67	61	65	47	63
Bulgaria, Sofia	243	427	426	1,493	942	2,397	3,804	4,204	3,488	3,020
Croatia, Zagreb	216	293	250	353	288	220	171	229	211	288
Cyprus, Nicosia	785	572	421	436	460	497	468	392	462	569
Czech Republic, Prague	408	386	371	627	603	643	451	593	609	629
Denmark, Copenhagen	443	362	321	311	289	217	209	234	255	262
Finland, Helsinki	285	442	290	296	336	286	216	270	265	220
France, Paris	2,086	1,745	1,729	1,392	1,362	1,187	1,395	1,412	1,409	1,819
Germany, Frankfurt	8,117	4,932	5,132	4,647	4,190	4,297	4,718	4,891	4,492	4,463
Great Britain and Northern Ireland, London	12,211	9,885	9,583	5,971	5,666	4,987	4,191	4,372	5,133	6,975
Greece, Athens	971	1,054	820	767	832	785	882	4,763	4,052	629
Hungary, Budapest	435	447	360	432	439	396	395	615	953	955
Iceland, Reykjavik	109	99	85	91	128	70	70	49	78	67
Ireland, Dublin	12,731	12,314	18,080	1,435	615	497	469	481	452	372
Italy, Naples	1,649	1,593	1,490	1,307	1,065	1,283	1,365	1,168	1,149	1,087
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of, Skopje [13]									239	774
Malta, Valletta	61	30	60	80	65	58	94	58	48	47
Netherlands, Amsterdam	670	570	594	551	521	419	393	394	474	647
Norway, Oslo	464	308	233	264	285	216	210	237	232	222
Poland, Warsaw	21,564	24,805	26,873	10,738	13,294	10,723	9,553	11,890	13,087	11,011
Portugal, Lisbon	1,788	1,150	1,414	1,167	842	726	619	449	340	370
Ponta Delgada	349	488	452	301	269	269	318	175	178	111
Romania, Bucharest	552	870	1,068	3,610	3,255	4,251	4,413	5,178	4,982	4,336
Russia, Moscow	1,667	2,416	3,445	6,190	6,921	7,679	8,124	8,334	9,044	9,216
Spain, Madrid	1,021	790	708	668	627	558	474	519	490	538
Sweden, Stockholm	755	664	515	649	659	605	578	604	624	708
Switzerland, Bern	697	589	570	621	690	883	713	610	574	548
Turkey, Ankara	1,101	1,423	1,382	1,866	2,647	2,259	1,923	3,532	3,917	3,928

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Issuing Office	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Europe (EUR)–Continued										
Istanbul [14]	2,061	1,920	1,801	2,861	3,007	2,949	2,802			
Yugoslavia, Belgrade	1,038	1,058	1,240	1,619	1,504	1,661	1,497	610	-	-
Europe Total	**75,558**	**72,575**	**81,187**	**52,656**	**56,445**	**56,118**	**55,078**	**57,019**	**58,366**	**58,662**
Near East (NEA)										
Algeria, Algiers	157	140	152	445	581	145	59	66	55	103
Bahrain, Manama	102	116	76	127	121	116	100	93	122	116
Egypt, Cairo	2,027	2,129	2,072	4,693	4,375	4,142	4,224	4,427	3,697	3,561
Israel, Tel Aviv	2,528	2,333	1,715	1,267	1,384	1,270	1,209	1,469	1,752	1,861
Jerusalem	1,381	1,675	1,274	1,383	1,327	1,303	719	707	977	1,865
Jordan, Amman	4,757	3,584	2,828	3,195	3,683	3,650	2,927	4,041	3,879	3,343
Kuwait, Kuwait	207	284	178	324	449	385	279	436	429	525
Morocco, Casablanca	212	295	325	1,041	759	1,670	1,708	2,795	2,676	3,722
Oman, Muscat	59	84	77	110	140	125	115	225	152	196
Qatar, Doha	95	134	122	123	140	127	119	235	162	178
Saudi Arabia, Riyadh	662	775	702	1,217	1,293	1,238	1,169	1,421	1,368	1,485
Syria, Damascus	2,794	3,378	3,091	2,921	3,654	3,010	3,375	2,659	3,430	3,966
Tunisia, Tunis	90	73	101	124	148	183	550	686	579	486
United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi	742	1,167	1,510	2,013	2,361	2,280	2,160	2,506	2,747	3,332
Beirut Files [15]	680	352	206	236	155	112	151	133	95	25
Yemen, Sanaa	2,128	1,605	775	1,646	1,941	1,980	1,469	1,327	2,392	1,273
Near East Total	**18,621**	**18,124**	**15,204**	**20,865**	**22,511**	**21,736**	**20,333**	**23,226**	**24,512**	**26,037**
South Asia (SA)										
Bangladesh, Dhaka	2,209	2,868	2,923	6,829	5,506	7,974	8,208	4,901	6,018	4,955
India, New Delhi	7,161	9,049	9,160	9,432	8,567	9,042	7,487	7,244	7,413	7,688
Calcutta [16]	642	61	96	93	97	97	80	121	97	121
Chennai	5,369	5,196	4,231	4,552	5,466	4,838	4,369	4,280	4,277	5,826
Mumbai	10,530	13,281	10,610	11,566	13,972	13,306	12,534	10,912	11,381	12,517
Nepal, Kathmandu	102	138	132	181	251	268	363	303	240	516
Pakistan, Islamabad [17]				2,571	9,184	9,915	10,477	13,098	10,428	11,922
Karachi [5]	3,725	7,797	7,222	5,970						
Lahore [18]	3,536									
Sri Lanka, Colombo	402	480	490	442	507	592	618	543	429	644
South Asia Total	**33,676**	**38,870**	**34,864**	**41,636**	**43,550**	**46,032**	**44,136**	**41,402**	**40,283**	**44,189**
Western Hemisphere (WHA)										
Argentina, Buenos Aires	2,492	1,698	1,477	1,162	1,043	656	563	709	791	962
Bahamas, Nassau	472	523	395	208	181	174	126	136	124	110
Barbados, Bridgetown	3,886	3,774	2,541	2,362	2,332	2,453	2,592	2,826	2,269	2,197
Belize, Belize City	712	820	648	412	405	433	222	315	378	298
Bolivia, La Paz	1,097	1,205	1,115	683	588	604	679	781	699	636
Brazil, Rio de Janeiro	1,895	1,961	2,118	1,607	1,360	1,098	1,172	1,177	1,471	1,729
Canada, Calgary [5]	1,357	1,353	1,248	429						
Montreal	3,048	3,091	2,898	2,034	5,253	5,087	5,582	5,900	5,747	9,073
Toronto [5]	5,664	6,573	6,034	3,307						

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Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Issuing Office	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Western Hemisphere (WHA)–Continued										
Vancouver [3]	2,200	2,048	1,739	1,671	1,836	1,060				
Chile, Santiago	1,098	1,019	913	686	482	549	495	476	609	525
Colombia, Bogota	9,471	9,787	7,989	6,919	6,440	6,670	6,248	5,950	6,089	5,135
Costa Rica, San Jose	1,123	984	790	689	677	645	560	459	537	481
Cuba, Havana	1,488	1,638	2,331	6,260	2,731	3,130	2,677	4,679	4,523	3,421
Dominican Republic, Santo Domingo	38,870	40,969	49,964	34,034	30,530	21,381	15,556	13,458	11,705	14,607
Ecuador, Guayaquil	6,331	6,489	5,175	5,234	5,007	4,911	4,587	7,158	4,664	5,489
El Salvador, San Salvador	20,748	23,763	17,073	7,441	8,291	9,316	7,325	9,023	8,577	6,393
Guatemala, Guatemala City	7,044	10,633	6,435	4,057	3,748	3,568	3,803	4,097	4,144	3,797
Guyana, Georgetown	7,513	7,260	6,586	6,276	7,597	5,639	2,214	2,036	4,326	5,978
Haiti, Port-au-Prince	758	8,499	11,255	8,207	9,263	10,125	9,838	14,226	18,434	13,444
Honduras, Tegucigalpa	5,015	6,418	4,539	3,736	2,237	4,471	3,664	2,748	3,044	3,004
Jamaica, Kingston	13,306	13,161	10,678	12,762	13,042	12,203	9,595	11,444	9,748	8,265
Mexico, Ciudad Juarez	54,995	79,357	102,243	47,418	52,677	56,245	57,057	83,968	68,438	63,266
Tijuana [1]	28,599	24,142								
Netherlands Antilles, Curacao [1]	142	106								
Nicaragua, Managua	3,045	3,184	3,150	1,183	1,217	1,324	854	1,030	976	891
Panama, Panama City	1,662	2,045	1,878	1,824	1,849	1,478	1,227	1,383	1,093	733
Paraguay, Asuncion	473	638	798	516	424	197	167	180	181	230
Peru, Lima	7,234	7,985	7,276	4,872	6,078	5,848	5,755	5,158	4,428	4,612
Suriname, Paramaribo	172	151	128	129	79	105	100	77	148	104
Trinidad and Tobago, Port of Spain	4,197	4,124	4,485	3,294	3,307	2,901	2,415	2,281	3,117	2,435
Uruguay, Montevideo	450	356	299	150	112	134	106	87	101	117
Venezuela, Caracas	1,347	1,670	1,495	1,183	1,276	1,145	1,008	1,019	1,389	1,139
Western Hemisphere Total	**237,904**	**277,424**	**265,693**	**170,745**	**170,062**	**163,550**	**146,187**	**182,781**	**167,750**	**159,071**
Grand Total	**527,996**	**541,119**	**505,332**	**409,405**	**425,930**	**418,889**	**376,701**	**414,531**	**414,314**	**408,774**

[1] Immigrant visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1993.

[2] Immigrant visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1996.

[3] Immigrant visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1997.

[4] Immigrant visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1994.

[5] Immigrant visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1995.

[6] Immigrant visa services were suspended in Fiscal Year 1997 and have not subsequently been resumed.

[7] Visa services at Embassy Khartoum were suspended on February 5, 1996 and have not subsequently been resumed. Khartoum's visa services are being handled through Embassy Cairo.

[8] Immigrant visa services began in Fiscal Year 1994.

[9] Immigrant visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1999.

[10] Immigrant visa services began in Fiscal Year 1999.

[11] The Taipei office of the American Institute in Taiwan, although an unofficial instrumentality, has been authorized to process visa applications for residents of Taiwan.

[12] Immigrant visa services began in Fiscal Year 1993.

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[13] Immigrant visa services began in Fiscal Year 2000.

[14] Immigrant visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1998.

[15] Beirut immigrant visa files were transferred to Embassy Abu Dhabi during Fiscal Year 1991. Beirut immigrant visa files were combined with Abu Dhabi's immigrant visa files during Fiscal Year 2001 and subsequently reported as part of Abu Dhabi's immigrant visa workload.

[16] Immigrant visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1992, with the exception of visas for returning residents and for orphans to be adopted in the United States.

[17] Immigrant visa services began in Fiscal Year 1995.

[18] Immigrant visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1992.

Table XVI(A)
Classes of Nonimmigrants Issued Visas
(Including Crewlist Visas and Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1997 – 2001

Class of Nonimmigrant		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Total		**5,942,061**	**5,814,153**	**6,192,478**	**7,141,636**	**7,588,778**
A	Foreign Government Official	79,291	79,583	79,371	82,263	78,288
B-1	Temporary Visitor for Business	232,377	192,837	93,019	75,919	84,201
B-2	Temporary Visitor for Pleasure	1,020,402	854,738	642,676	509,031	381,431
B-1/B-2	Temporary Visitor for Business and Pleasure	3,070,539	3,226,799	3,447,822	3,567,580	3,527,118
B1/B2/BCC	Combination B-1/B-2 and Border Crossing Card [1]	387,845	289,883	676,386	1,510,133	1,990,402
C	Transit	46,062	39,879	34,324	33,050	32,952
C-1/D	Combination Transit/Crew Member (Indiv. Iss.) [2]	152,215	172,955	161,723	165,556	167,435
D-Indiv.Iss.	Crew Member (Individual Issuance)	20,349	20,174	19,175	21,195	21,615
D-Crewlist	Crewlist Visas	12,718	11,260	10,768	9,817	8,480
E	Treaty Trader or Investor	29,758	30,232	32,948	36,520	36,886
F	Student	288,582	273,410	285,435	308,944	319,517
G	Representative/Staff of International Organization	29,221	30,813	32,600	35,346	32,877
H	Temporary Worker and Trainee	161,278	190,671	246,814	289,562	348,995
I	Representative of Foreign Information Media	12,056	11,627	12,694	13,928	13,799
J	Exchange Visitor	213,687	225,628	245,743	273,959	299,958
K	Fiance(e) of U.S. Citizen/Spouse of U.S. Citizen Awaiting Availability of Immigrant Visa [3]	13,455	14,467	19,456	24,746	28,712
L	Intracompany Transferee	80,065	82,483	88,028	112,032	120,538
M	Vocational Student	7,359	6,972	6,577	6,465	5,658
NATO	NATO Official	5,112	4,593	5,388	5,390	4,723
N	Certain Relatives of SK Special Immigrants	21	26	19	20	14
O	Person With Extraordinary Ability in the Sciences, Arts, Education, Business, or Athletics	5,941	7,091	8,674	10,461	10,871
P	Athlete, Artist, or Entertainer	27,548	30,692	31,314	35,393	34,018
Q	International Cultural Exchange Program Participant	1,290	1,312	1,836	2,385	1,618
R	Person in a Religious Occupation	6,373	6,845	8,500	9,907	11,512
S	Informant Possessing Information on Criminal Activity or Terrorism [4]	-	-	-	-	-
NAFTA	NAFTA Professional	511	825	1,188	2,034	1,828
T	Victim of a Severe Form of Trafficking in Persons [5]					-
U	Victim of Criminal Activity [6]					-
V	Spouse/Child of Lawful Permanent Resident Awaiting Availability of Immigrant Visa [7]					25,332
Other Nonimmigrant Classes						
BCC	Border Crossing Cards (BCC) [1]	38,006	8,358			

[1] Border Crossing Cards (BCC) were issued at posts in Canada and Mexico; issuance ceased in Fiscal Year 1998. Combination B-1/B-2 and Border Crossing Card (B1/B2/BCC) issuances began in Fiscal Year 1984 at posts in Mexico and in Fiscal Year 1992 at posts in Canada; issuance ceased in Fiscal Year 1998 at posts in Canada.

[2] Combination C-1/D visas (issued in lieu of separate concurrent C-1 and D visas) are counted as one visa, not two.

[3] Nonimmigrant status for spouses of U.S. citizens (and their children) awaiting the availability of an immigrant visa was provided by Section 1103 of the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000 (Title XI of Pub. L. 106-553) enacted December 21, 2000.

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[4] Category established by the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 (Pub. L. 103–322) and effective September 13, 1994 through September 12, 1999 only. Section 2 of Pub. L. 106–104 extended this category through September 12, 2001.

[5] Category established by Section 107(e)(1), division A (Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000) of the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106–386) enacted October 28, 2000.

[6] Category established by Section 1513(b), title V (Battered Immigrant Women Protection Act of 2000), division B (Violence Against Women Act of 2000) of the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106–386) enacted October 28, 2000.

[7] Nonimmigrant status for spouses and children of lawful permanent residents (and their children) awaiting the availability of an immigrant visa was provided by Section 1102 of the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000 (Title XI of Pub. L. 106–553) enacted December 21, 2000.

Table XVI(B)
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Classification
(Including Crewlist Visas and Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1997 – 2001

Visa Symbol/Class		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
A-1	Ambassador, public minister, career diplomat, consul, and immediate family	10,869	10,437	10,757	10,698	9,662
A-2	Other foreign government official or employee, and immediate family	66,152	66,998	66,335	69,079	66,398
A-3	Attendant, servant, or personal employee of A-1 and A-2, and immediate family	2,270	2,148	2,279	2,486	2,228
B-1	Temporary visitor for business	232,377	192,837	93,019	75,919	84,201
B-2	Temporary visitor for pleasure	1,020,402	854,738	642,676	509,031	381,431
B-1/B-2	Temporary visitor for business and pleasure	3,070,539	3,226,799	3,447,822	3,567,580	3,527,118
B1/B2/BCC	Combination B-1/B-2 and Border Crossing Card [1]	387,845	289,883	676,386	1,510,133	1,990,402
C-1	Person in transit	37,423	31,457	26,494	26,407	27,231
C-1/D	Combination transit/crew member (indiv. iss.) [2]	152,215	172,955	161,723	165,556	167,435
C-2	Person in transit to United Nations Headquarters	44	34	25	37	24
C-3	Foreign government official, immediate family, attendant, servant, or personal employee in transit	8,595	8,388	7,805	6,606	5,697
D-Indiv.Iss.	Crew member (sea or air) (individual issuance)	20,349	20,174	19,175	21,195	21,615
D-Crewlist	Crewlist visas	12,718	11,260	10,768	9,817	8,480
E-1	Treaty trader, spouse and children	9,497	9,457	9,973	9,539	9,309
E-2	Treaty investor, spouse and children	20,261	20,775	22,975	26,981	27,577
F-1	Student (academic or language training program)	266,483	251,565	262,542	284,053	293,357
F-2	Spouse or child of student	22,099	21,845	22,893	24,981	26,160
G-1	Principal resident representative of recognized foreign member government to international organization, staff, and immediate family	4,800	4,957	5,090	5,166	5,274
G-2	Other representative of recognized foreign member government to international organization, and immediate family	8,564	8,847	8,466	11,225	8,825
G-3	Representative of nonrecognized or nonmember foreign government to international organization, and immediate family	202	150	165	258	134
G-4	International organization officer or employee, and immediate family	14,109	15,245	17,142	16,960	16,999
G-5	Attendant, servant, or personal employee of G-1 through G-4, and immediate family	1,546	1,614	1,737	1,737	1,645
H-1A	Temporary worker performing services as a registered nurse [3]	61	18	5	2	
H-1B	Temporary worker of distinguished merit and ability performing services other than as a registered nurse	80,547	91,360	116,513	133,290	161,643
H-1C	Nurse in health professional shortage area [3]				-	34
H-2A	Temporary worker performing agricultural services	16,011	22,676	28,568	30,201	31,523
H-2B	Temporary worker performing other services	15,706	20,192	30,642	45,037	58,215
H-3	Trainee	1,747	1,830	1,892	1,514	1,613
H-4	Spouse or child of H-1A/B/C, H-2A/B, or H-3	47,206	54,595	69,194	79,518	95,967
I	Representative of foreign information media, spouse and children	12,056	11,627	12,694	13,928	13,799
J-1	Exchange visitor	179,598	192,451	211,349	236,837	261,769
J-2	Spouse or child of exchange visitor	34,089	33,177	34,394	37,122	38,189

Table XVI(B)
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Classification (Continued)
(Including Crewlist Visas and Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1997 – 2001

Visa Symbol/Class		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
K–1	Fiance(e) of U.S. citizen	12,088	12,968	17,025	21,471	24,973
K–2	Child of fiance(e) of U.S. citizen	1,367	1,499	2,431	3,275	3,735
K–3	Spouse of U.S. citizen awaiting availability of immigrant visa [4]					3
K–4	Child of K–3 [4]					1
L–1	Intracompany transferee (executive, managerial, and specialized personnel continuing employment with international firm or corporation)	36,589	38,307	41,739	54,963	59,384
L–2	Spouse or child of intracompany transferee	43,476	44,176	46,289	57,069	61,154
M–1	Vocational and other nonacademic student	7,075	6,515	6,240	6,107	5,373
M–2	Spouse or child of vocational student	284	457	337	358	285
NATO–1	Principal permanent representative of member state to NATO (including any of its subsidiary bodies) resident in the U.S., and resident members of official staff; principal NATO officers; and immediate family	6	4	22	17	4
NATO–2	Other representatives of member states to NATO (including any of its subsidiary bodies), and immediate family; dependents of member of a force entering in accordance with provisions of NATO agreements; members of such force if issued visas	4,485	4,339	4,865	5,031	4,282
NATO–3	Official clerical staff accompanying a representative of member state to NATO, and immediate family	3	-	-	-	-
NATO–4	Officials of NATO (other than those classifiable as NATO–1), and immediate family	313	80	211	97	95
NATO–5	Experts, other than NATO–4 officials, employed in missions on behalf of NATO, and their dependents	135	18	28	33	121
NATO–6	Members of a civilian component accompanying a force entering in accordance with the provisions of NATO agreements, and their dependents	163	150	256	209	220
NATO–7	Attendant, servant, or personal employee of NATO–1 through NATO–6, and immediate family	7	2	6	3	1
N–8	Parent of SK–3 special immigrant	19	15	10	12	8
N–9	Child of N–8 or of SK–1, SK–2 or SK–4 special immigrant	2	11	9	8	6
O–1	Person with extraordinary ability in the sciences, arts, education, business, or athletics	3,345	4,257	5,009	6,466	6,666
O–2	Person accompanying and assisting in the artistic or athletic performance by O–1	1,848	1,778	2,185	1,894	1,918
O–3	Spouse or child of O–1 or O–2	748	1,056	1,480	2,101	2,287
P–1	Internationally recognized athlete or member of an internationally recognized entertainment group	18,991	20,598	22,306	23,786	24,378
P–2	Artist or entertainer in a reciprocal exchange program	194	175	198	238	125
P–3	Artist or entertainer in a culturally unique program	7,756	9,291	8,068	10,501	8,495
P–4	Spouse or child of P–1, P–2, or P–3	607	628	742	868	1,020

Table XVI(B)
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Classification (Continued)
(Including Crewlist Visas and Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1997 – 2001

Visa Symbol/Class		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Q-1	Participant in an international cultural exchange program	1,290	1,312	1,836	2,024	1,432
Q-2	Irish Peace Process trainee [5]				358	186
Q-3	Spouse or child of Q-2 [5]				3	-
R-1	Person in a religious occupation	5,082	5,450	6,497	7,418	8,503
R-2	Spouse or child of R-1	1,291	1,395	2,003	2,489	3,009
S-5	Informant possessing critical reliable information concerning criminal organization or enterprise [6]	-	-	-	-	-
S-6	Informant possessing critical reliable information concerning terrorist organization, enterprise, or operation [6]	-	-	-	-	-
S-7	Spouse, married or unmarried son or daughter, or parent of S-5 or S-6 [6]	-	-	-	-	-
TN	NAFTA professional	171	295	484	906	787
TD	Spouse or child of TN	340	530	704	1,128	1,041
T-1	Victim of a severe form of trafficking in persons [7]					-
T-2	Spouse of T-1 [7]					-
T-3	Child of T-1 [7]					-
T-4	Parent of T-1 under 21 years of age [7]					-
U-1	Victim of criminal activity [8]					-
U-2	Spouse of U-1 [8]					-
U-3	Child of U-1 [8]					-
U-4	Parent of U-1 under 21 years of age [8]					-
V-1	Spouse of lawful permanent resident awaiting availability of immigrant visa [9]					9,127
V-2	Child of lawful permanent resident awaiting availability of immigrant visa [9]					14,805
V-3	Derivative child of V-1 or V-2 [9]					1,400
Other Nonimmigrant Classes						
BCC	Border Crossing Cards [1]	38,006	8,358			
Grand Total		**5,942,061**	**5,814,153**	**6,192,478**	**7,141,636**	**7,588,778**

[1] Border Crossing Cards (BCC) were issued at posts in Canada and Mexico; issuance ceased in Fiscal Year 1998. Combination B-1/B-2 and Border Crossing Card (B/B2/BCC) issuances began in Fiscal Year 1984 at posts in Mexico and in Fiscal Year 1992 at posts in Canada; issuance ceased in Fiscal Year 1998 at posts in Canada.

[2] Combination C-1/D visas (issued in lieu of separate concurrent C-1 and D visas) are counted as one visa, not two.

[3] The H-1C category was established by Section 2(a) of the Nursing Relief for Disadvantaged Areas Act of 1999 (Pub. L. 106-95) enacted November 12, 1999; it is effective from June 11, 2001 (the date the Immigration and Naturalization Service published implementing regulations) through June 11, 2005 only. Section 2(c) of Pub. L. 106-95 repealed the former H-1A category relating to registered nurses.

[4] Nonimmigrant status for spouses of U.S. citizens (and their children) awaiting the availability of an immigrant visa was provided by Section 1103 of the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000 (Title XI of Pub. L. 106-553) enacted December 21, 2000.

Table XVI(B)
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Classification (Continued)
(Including Crewlist Visas and Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1997 – 2001

[5] Category established by the Irish Peace Process Cultural and Training Program Act of 1998 (Pub. L. 105–319), and effective October 30, 1998 through September 30, 2005 only.

[6] Category established by the Violent Crime Control and Law Enforcement Act of 1994 (Pub. L. 103–322), and effective September 13, 1994 through September 12, 1999 only. Section 2 of Pub. L. 106–104 extended this category through September 12, 2001.

[7] Category established by Section 107(e)(1), division A (Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000) of the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106–386) enacted October 28, 2000.

[8] Category established by Section 1513(b), title V (Battered Immigrant Women Protection Act of 2000), division B (Violence Against Women Act of 2000) of the Victims of Trafficking and Violence Protection Act of 2000 (Pub. L. 106–386) enacted October 28, 2000.

[9] Nonimmigrant status for spouses and children of lawful permanent residents (and their children) awaiting the availability of an immigrant visa was provided by Section 1102 of the Legal Immigration Family Equity (LIFE) Act of 2000 (Title XI of Pub. L. 106–553) enacted December 21, 2000.

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Table XVII (Part I)
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued
Fiscal Year 2001

Nationality	A	B-1	B-2	B-1,2	B-1,2/BCC	C	C-1/D	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
Africa														
Algeria	102	2,022	1,990	2,101	0	24	0	35	0	140	250	124	25	126
Angola	176	230	296	2,164	0	30	1	20	0	348	148	8	5	73
Benin	156	14	89	752	0	8	0	14	0	92	119	21	1	58
Botswana	99	1	91	773	0	1	1	0	0	140	21	13	7	152
Burkina Faso	50	20	86	1,317	0	35	0	50	0	119	213	11	0	31
Burundi	31	4	28	454	0	44	0	0	0	139	195	0	0	5
Cameroon	184	157	968	4,166	0	55	0	0	3	614	311	114	16	168
Cape Verde	13	17	345	5,319	0	2	34	7	0	28	45	0	1	27
Central African Republic	36	3	13	236	0	25	0	12	0	33	81	3	0	5
Chad	68	14	100	231	0	13	0	19	0	43	95	2	0	26
Comoros	11	2	1	25	0	0	1	0	0	8	62	0	0	2
Congo, Republic of the	200	21	107	493	0	14	0	27	0	43	158	2	0	16
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	247	178	574	2,671	0	24	1	0	0	171	224	23	0	61
Cote d'Ivoire	179	91	337	3,222	0	20	4	52	0	332	217	39	12	83
Djibouti	28	33	291	112	0	3	0	0	0	5	33	1	0	4
Egypt	2,860	463	202	40,395	0	69	546	42	23	1,071	215	862	33	2,609
Equatorial Guinea	151	22	20	79	0	1	0	1	0	33	39	0	1	15
Eritrea	89	418	134	884	0	0	0	0	0	66	33	3	0	45
Ethiopia	96	448	744	4,445	0	104	2	133	6	340	310	59	1	141
Gabon	196	35	190	556	0	7	1	9	0	109	174	7	0	15
Gambia	113	36	68	2,338	0	2	0	12	0	224	99	22	0	8
Ghana	301	603	1,121	15,159	0	79	247	33	0	989	231	208	42	505
Guinea	75	25	496	3,964	0	11	7	0	0	167	192	9	3	48
Guinea-Bissau	9	4	12	161	0	1	0	0	0	3	65	0	0	2
Kenya	200	97	351	14,539	0	12	6	0	1	3,963	479	327	16	571
Lesotho	9	4	14	118	0	2	1	0	0	10	39	12	0	10
Liberia	18	79	848	1,503	0	6	4	0	1	357	98	15	0	22
Libya	0	17	109	201	0	2	0	0	0	6	129	10	0	8
Madagascar	94	118	218	346	0	6	0	26	0	51	188	9	0	57
Malawi	83	3	23	839	0	1	2	0	0	149	78	10	0	85
Mali	83	176	1,638	3,395	0	17	0	13	0	339	202	10	3	56
Mauritania	86	8	90	965	0	4	0	3	0	263	144	6	0	9
Mauritius	39	11	131	1,246	0	11	111	2	0	79	87	47	0	30
Morocco	339	307	3,789	11,556	0	16	314	119	7	1,238	203	253	23	461

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Table XVII (Part II)
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Fiscal Year 2001

Nationality	K	L	M	NATO	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	NAFTA	Grand Total
Africa															
Algeria	21	14	62	0	0	3	14	0	4	0	0	0	9	3	7,069
Angola	0	54	5	0	0	1	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	3,565
Benin	5	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1,336
Botswana	0	1	4	0	0	0	2	13	3	0	0	0	0	0	1,322
Burkina Faso	2	0	0	0	0	1	15	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1,952
Burundi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	901
Cameroon	20	37	1	0	0	6	14	1	22	0	0	0	33	1	6,891
Cape Verde	56	0	2	0	0	0	19	0	16	0	0	0	55	0	5,986
Central African Republic	0	0	0	0	0	0	18	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	468
Chad	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	620
Comoros	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	112
Congo, Republic of the	1	0	5	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1,093
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the	8	6	3	0	0	2	75	0	29	0	0	0	15	0	4,312
Cote d'Ivoire	11	4	2	0	0	1	78	0	12	0	0	0	3	3	4,702
Djibouti	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	510
Egypt	25	256	28	0	0	38	76	1	242	0	0	0	61	21	50,138
Equatorial Guinea	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	362
Eritrea	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	10	0	1,704
Ethiopia	42	8	0	0	0	0	10	0	29	0	0	0	209	5	7,132
Gabon	2	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,308
Gambia	1	2	2	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	2,934
Ghana	127	25	7	0	0	7	17	0	83	0	0	0	211	0	19,995
Guinea	7	5	1	0	0	0	38	0	2	0	0	0	7	1	5,058
Guinea-Bissau	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	260
Kenya	41	120	61	0	0	11	75	38	50	0	0	0	13	0	20,971
Lesotho	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	221
Liberia	17	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	11	0	0	0	30	0	3,015
Libya	10	1	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	500
Madagascar	4	5	3	0	0	2	4	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1,136
Malawi	0	5	2	0	0	1	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	1,290
Mali	4	1	0	0	0	8	96	0	2	0	0	0	5	0	6,048
Mauritania	3	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1,588
Mauritius	2	15	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1,818
Morocco	111	35	13	0	0	8	48	58	6	0	0	0	49	5	18,958

Table XVII (Part I)
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Nationality	A	B-1	B-2	B-1,2	B-1,2/BCC	C	C-1/D	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
Africa–Continued														
Mozambique	142	8	28	619	0	27	9	0	0	79	85	16	7	59
Namibia	60	0	12	568	0	3	8	1	0	41	64	15	0	89
Niger	78	386	234	392	0	9	0	16	0	299	110	7	3	45
Nigeria	437	1,529	2,098	32,594	0	52	46	42	0	2,081	389	785	13	625
Rwanda	111	5	32	599	0	3	0	0	0	89	51	1	0	55
Sao Tome and Principe	4	4	1	44	0	0	0	0	0	4	24	1	0	0
Senegal	207	75	308	8,328	0	45	0	34	0	448	312	84	18	216
Seychelles	2	14	22	188	0	0	11	0	0	4	6	2	0	2
Sierra Leone	29	10	55	1,512	0	7	2	0	0	74	105	30	0	30
Somalia	2	25	167	735	0	1	0	0	0	25	15	4	0	4
South Africa	608	760	6,171	43,209	0	514	2,364	87	13	826	279	4,850	46	4,441
Sudan	92	624	1,782	1,655	0	28	2	32	0	326	242	80	0	31
Swaziland	71	1	16	172	0	6	0	0	0	21	43	1	1	30
Tanzania	200	28	668	3,736	0	19	0	17	0	1,105	283	77	4	209
Togo	56	36	463	1,548	0	5	1	25	0	469	94	14	0	40
Tunisia	198	224	2,792	2,678	0	3	78	34	10	279	127	73	2	182
Uganda	244	54	83	2,808	0	15	5	3	0	426	243	51	0	194
Zambia	101	8	37	3,512	0	13	0	10	0	525	210	44	4	503
Zimbabwe	59	38	123	3,946	0	40	46	14	3	1,234	213	202	4	318
Region Total for Africa	**9,122**	**9,510**	**30,606**	**235,568**	**0**	**1,439**	**3,855**	**944**	**67**	**20,067**	**8,072**	**8,567**	**291**	**12,607**
Asia														
Afghanistan	2	22	629	1,007	0	12	0	0	0	29	33	21	1	14
Bahrain	221	3	14	2,209	0	0	4	2	0	269	45	7	8	36
Bangladesh	561	204	535	12,604	0	77	549	9	10	1,143	342	1,519	29	374
Bhutan	5	3	8	211	0	0	1	0	0	68	65	5	0	14
Brunei	52	5	3	21	0	1	1	0	0	3	54	3	0	6
Burma	67	335	1,057	281	0	677	6	1,295	0	441	147	82	0	51
Cambodia	94	58	1,925	1,778	0	8	0	0	0	188	44	16	0	80
China (mainland)	1,381	11,749	15,291	242,271	0	7,674	56	4,230	14	30,240	895	13,431	400	12,201
(Taiwan)	3	39	369	214,869	0	428	1,741	0	1,309	16,584	23	3,884	76	1,994
East Timor	0	4	6	14	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4

Table XVII (Part II)
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Nationality	K	L	M	NATO	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	NAFTA	Grand Total
Africa–Continued															
Mozambique	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,084
Namibia	3	3	4	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	875
Niger	2	1	0	0	0	0	16	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1,600
Nigeria	251	334	35	0	1	16	107	1	270	0	0	0	516	0	42,222
Rwanda	0	0	1	0	0	0	25	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	980
Sao Tome and Principe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	82
Senegal	17	20	3	0	0	25	89	0	1	0	0	0	35	0	10,265
Seychelles	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	256
Sierra Leone	21	0	1	0	0	0	13	0	1	0	0	0	20	0	1,910
Somalia	6	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	989
South Africa	92	1,611	25	3	0	87	164	165	221	0	0	0	4	1	66,541
Sudan	4	2	6	0	0	0	3	0	7	0	0	0	12	2	4,930
Swaziland	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	367
Tanzania	4	6	12	0	0	0	2	0	34	0	0	0	10	0	6,414
Togo	2	2	3	0	0	3	0	0	5	0	0	0	7	0	2,773
Tunisia	9	22	39	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	6,759
Uganda	6	2	6	0	0	0	44	1	54	0	0	0	0	0	4,239
Zambia	2	14	8	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	2	0	5,012
Zimbabwe	4	47	4	0	3	0	41	11	12	0	0	0	0	0	6,362
Region Total for Africa	**954**	**2,680**	**361**	3	**5**	**234**	**1,117**	**293**	**1,197**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1,324**	**52**	**348,935**
Asia															
Afghanistan	167	8	0	0	0	0	8	0	3	0	0	0	32	0	1,988
Bahrain	2	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,826
Bangladesh	3	78	5	0	0	12	16	1	40	0	0	0	616	4	18,731
Bhutan	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	407
Brunei	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	154
Burma	11	14	0	0	0	3	0	0	30	0	0	0	8	0	4,505
Cambodia	165	9	0	0	0	0	66	0	7	0	0	0	0	1	4,439
China (mainland)	2,184	2,174	70	0	0	416	910	37	42	0	0	0	31	51	345,748
(Taiwan)	57	627	65	0	0	40	227	1	164	0	0	0	32	15	242,547
East Timor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29

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Fiscal Year 2001

Nationality	A	B-1	B-2	B-1,2	B-1,2/BCC	C	C-1/D	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
Asia–Continued														
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	26	37	568	27,863	0	36	205	0	1	1,207	23	305	32	239
India	1,194	1,980	2,275	220,741	0	850	11,799	568	10	25,357	1,216	119,167	116	6,042
Indonesia	1,301	1,169	3,942	45,580	0	136	6,702	14	8	5,361	471	2,175	94	923
Iran	9	382	9,291	9,336	0	99	14	5	66	957	483	903	4	545
Iraq	13	35	422	2,221	0	23	4	0	0	42	135	422	1	28
Israel	2,250	37	345	132,395	0	38	77	347	698	1,645	85	2,771	74	3,965
Japan	7,920	1,272	486	5,827	0	1,699	4,477	6	15,517	33,616	456	6,533	1,996	12,409
Jordan	835	217	379	20,476	0	18	310	141	2	984	90	790	6	703
Korea, North	0	39	4	1,298	0	23	0	0	0	71	47	1	0	4
Korea, South	2,347	356	1,214	360,520	0	167	4,088	2	2,466	34,698	350	6,025	788	12,586
Kuwait	383	3	25	7,828	0	7	0	56	0	1,101	49	18	0	55
Laos	57	50	1,687	74	0	19	0	0	0	59	97	8	0	31
Lebanon	258	228	1,963	22,459	0	21	9	54	1	1,560	132	516	53	581
Macau Special Administrative Region	0	2	19	1,374	0	6	0	0	0	133	0	28	0	23
Malaysia	764	496	603	42,174	0	134	2,433	4	5	2,375	166	1,843	49	1,105
Maldives	25	0	12	83	0	2	33	0	0	13	19	0	0	5
Mongolia	172	73	139	1,892	0	33	0	0	0	458	100	64	12	482
Nepal	192	40	90	3,795	0	440	24	344	0	1,409	136	509	2	217
Oman	206	28	1,332	774	0	1	57	0	0	446	41	6	0	66
Pakistan	581	511	1,263	58,902	0	115	788	35	187	3,841	402	5,555	24	1,133
Palestinian Authority Travel Document	0	12	48	4,137	0	7	0	0	0	189	14	49	4	189
Philippines	1,634	10,071	4,430	130,023	0	470	29,166	107	201	1,139	1,322	8,926	85	1,180
Qatar	272	1	7	1,739	0	4	1	11	0	508	28	3	0	51
Saudi Arabia	2,479	35	172	35,296	0	21	5	685	0	6,559	135	76	4	726
Singapore	1,131	14	17	906	0	5	1,892	2	9	1,406	83	1,079	16	656
Sri Lanka	295	617	2,147	4,607	0	118	477	6	23	665	313	721	2	203
Syria	65	151	228	11,195	0	13	9	98	0	415	121	480	0	308
Thailand	671	285	293	44,176	0	348	2,949	8	190	5,598	131	963	62	2,255
United Arab Emirates	791	7	66	9,275	0	3	2	25	0	1,242	34	11	0	41
Vietnam	285	2,124	9,680	2,470	0	92	45	13	0	1,093	272	125	24	582
Yemen	134	126	73	2,147	0	4	2	2	0	375	97	23	1	81

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Nationality	K	L	M	NATO	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	NAFTA	Grand Total
Asia–Continued															
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	25	54	3	0	0	61	13	5	12	0	0	0	47	2	30,764
India	1,046	19,925	169	0	0	598	972	7	1,064	0	0	0	1,434	29	416,559
Indonesia	112	585	25	0	0	5	32	26	65	0	0	0	4	6	68,736
Iran	378	102	3	0	0	35	23	0	13	0	0	0	83	18	22,749
Iraq	130	4	0	0	0	27	4	0	16	0	0	0	15	4	3,546
Israel	32	2,122	42	0	0	197	333	1	285	0	0	0	2	4	147,745
Japan	252	17,292	836	0	0	326	702	71	337	0	0	0	4	28	112,062
Jordan	52	100	8	0	0	23	5	0	25	0	0	0	299	9	25,472
Korea, North	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,489
Korea, South	306	3,486	265	0	0	178	427	14	496	0	0	0	52	24	430,855
Kuwait	0	8	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,537
Laos	302	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	25	0	0	0	0	0	2,415
Lebanon	197	87	19	0	0	76	101	0	20	0	0	0	84	21	28,440
Macau Special Administrative Region	7	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	14	0	1,611
Malaysia	60	898	21	0	0	14	5	0	32	0	0	0	7	3	53,191
Maldives	0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	203
Mongolia	5	9	3	0	0	3	14	0	39	0	0	0	0	0	3,498
Nepal	23	25	42	0	0	5	4	14	211	0	0	0	16	1	7,539
Oman	0	7	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,968
Pakistan	363	597	39	0	0	151	99	0	95	0	0	0	812	19	75,512
Palestinian Authority Travel Document	14	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	27	3	4,700
Philippines	3,160	1,409	45	1	0	147	138	1	611	0	0	0	1,043	19	195,328
Qatar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,625
Saudi Arabia	0	160	277	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	46,636
Singapore	33	664	16	0	0	30	5	0	21	0	0	0	1	5	7,991
Sri Lanka	12	152	30	0	0	7	16	0	53	0	0	0	32	3	10,499
Syria	152	40	20	0	0	37	59	0	43	0	0	0	61	7	13,502
Thailand	653	233	27	0	0	20	35	20	190	0	0	0	18	2	59,127
United Arab Emirates	1	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11,505
Vietnam	3,482	57	8	0	0	2	30	0	56	0	0	0	0	6	20,446
Yemen	2	13	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3,083

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Nationality	A	B-1	B-2	B-1,2	B-1,2/BCC	C	C-1/D	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
Asia–Continued														
Region Total for Asia	**28,676**	**32,820**	**63,057**	**1,686,848**	**0**	**13,830**	**67,926**	**8,069**	**20,717**	**183,487**	**8,696**	**179,063**	**3,963**	**62,188**
Europe														
Albania	144	88	2,130	4,326	0	6	0	5	2	446	85	103	9	247
Andorra	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	3
Armenia	55	33	86	8,979	0	27	0	0	0	183	151	383	10	1,077
Austria	151	44	13	1,269	0	2	1,162	5	160	814	115	698	80	1,784
Azerbaijan	188	12	678	885	0	5	2	2	3	146	37	55	1	412
Belarus	47	661	3,313	1,087	0	15	68	1	2	214	139	534	0	1,736
Belgium	232	105	34	618	0	1	309	295	158	602	192	627	172	1,112
Bosnia and Herzegovina	93	287	279	7,191	0	20	17	5	17	273	53	85	7	408
Bulgaria	305	505	5,503	6,649	0	43	1,858	3	2	2,579	201	1,383	54	3,189
Croatia	194	242	679	12,127	0	82	4,609	9	8	506	90	337	106	1,142
Cyprus	23	5	697	3,989	0	2	17	0	0	874	40	133	4	562
Czech Republic	352	150	1,362	29,570	0	37	324	294	15	740	106	518	100	6,315
Denmark	224	25	33	1,963	0	2	1,521	8	154	616	217	604	117	1,977
Estonia	274	46	63	4,323	0	7	302	0	6	148	29	86	10	807
Finland	253	121	158	433	0	1	465	1	348	424	171	344	114	1,525
France	2,644	428	197	2,360	0	13	6,435	30	1,590	5,179	900	4,749	594	14,353
Georgia	402	11	58	2,000	0	222	6	155	0	182	72	96	7	776
Germany	1,177	123	187	10,860	0	191	6,484	23	3,440	6,879	536	4,459	913	26,477
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	3,059	1,425	1,260	64,027	0	87	12,234	58	3,067	7,128	818	14,263	2,142	23,076
Greece	185	56	704	32,325	0	31	3,785	223	4	1,008	64	417	92	708
Hungary	194	202	638	25,259	0	1,249	5	711	1	555	98	501	106	2,931
Iceland	20	2	14	588	0	1	370	11	0	346	31	86	2	231
Ireland	214	79	17	1,178	0	3	806	8	141	513	158	1,204	145	13,882
Italy	549	311	93	2,984	0	9	3,350	4	912	3,122	388	1,668	143	4,285
Kazakhstan	398	783	1,415	1,119	0	41	0	1	1	512	83	119	11	728
Kyrgyzstan	251	259	440	151	0	5	0	1	0	143	60	18	1	308
Latvia	231	15	264	4,291	0	11	772	0	2	235	72	153	16	1,343
Liechtenstein	5	1	0	8	0	0	3	0	1	25	4	5	0	10
Lithuania	197	24	56	14,702	0	10	569	0	0	348	35	270	22	4,024

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Nationality	K	L	M	NATO	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	NAFTA	Grand Total
Asia–Continued															
Region Total for Asia	**13,389**	**50,956**	**2,062**	**1**	**0**	**2,420**	**4,251**	**198**	**4,030**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**4,776**	**284**	**2,441,707**
Europe															
Albania	38	8	0	0	0	7	3	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	7,661
Andorra	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
Armenia	36	60	1	0	0	20	12	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	11,125
Austria	23	447	72	0	0	105	371	0	16	0	0	0	0	2	7,333
Azerbaijan	16	13	0	0	0	0	13	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2,469
Belarus	191	21	0	0	0	34	80	0	9	0	0	0	14	0	8,166
Belgium	25	868	85	315	0	70	219	0	14	0	0	0	0	6	6,059
Bosnia and Herzegovina	11	7	1	1	0	2	23	0	22	0	0	0	1	2	8,805
Bulgaria	88	67	7	0	0	64	224	0	7	0	0	0	30	2	22,763
Croatia	26	69	7	1	0	25	49	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	20,340
Cyprus	5	12	12	0	0	6	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6,383
Czech Republic	36	156	8	22	0	50	366	0	14	0	0	0	2	4	40,541
Denmark	17	885	35	101	0	100	44	1	23	0	0	0	0	0	8,667
Estonia	14	11	0	0	0	7	11	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	6,150
Finland	19	995	9	0	0	45	208	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	5,648
France	122	5,704	174	13	2	481	1,042	192	101	0	0	0	5	15	47,323
Georgia	8	5	0	0	0	19	38	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	4,062
Germany	308	6,421	414	1,507	0	527	1,323	145	144	0	0	0	8	21	72,567
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	1,001	16,648	383	476	0	2,362	3,804	249	489	0	0	0	37	19	158,112
Greece	17	83	49	204	0	48	175	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	40,183
Hungary	27	147	5	16	0	56	206	2	70	0	0	0	1	2	32,982
Iceland	7	43	18	0	0	24	99	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	1,899
Ireland	66	1,428	57	2	0	139	852	104	75	0	0	0	1	2	21,074
Italy	83	1,263	157	368	0	311	379	115	107	0	0	0	1	4	20,606
Kazakhstan	92	27	1	0	0	14	18	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	5,368
Kyrgyzstan	57	3	1	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	1,704
Latvia	61	29	1	0	0	7	42	0	10	0	0	0	0	1	7,556
Liechtenstein	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71
Lithuania	61	56	4	0	0	8	45	0	29	0	0	0	5	1	20,466

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Nationality	A	B-1	B-2	B-1,2	B-1,2/BCC	C	C-1/D	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
Europe–Continued														
Luxembourg	10	0	42	131	0	0	23	1	1	46	13	19	5	49
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of	155	48	647	3,966	0	20	284	2	3	254	58	91	30	707
Malta	34	2	11	4,139	0	0	17	0	0	16	20	15	3	59
Moldova	135	13	328	750	0	51	6	50	2	182	41	104	0	557
Monaco	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	7	4	1	0	1
Netherlands	215	263	77	1,957	0	7	3,629	13	435	1,267	274	1,300	146	3,557
Norway	161	485	90	997	0	4	1,397	6	346	998	107	439	89	1,531
Poland	219	617	2,411	72,204	0	3,731	2,087	3,693	39	1,284	133	1,168	158	15,585
Portugal	141	19	227	1,133	0	39	653	572	4	494	70	234	67	563
Romania	461	1,275	5,093	15,892	0	177	3,691	14	5	1,095	176	1,256	90	3,829
Russia	1,717	2,885	9,311	49,505	0	417	6,697	51	10	2,239	1,497	4,433	233	12,608
San Marino	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	1
Slovakia	217	355	795	10,074	0	82	608	12	7	476	51	346	32	6,331
Slovenia	148	33	33	115	0	2	220	1	52	194	40	63	18	249
Spain	647	545	484	3,759	0	4	843	1,691	264	3,009	349	1,424	309	5,909
Sweden	752	305	555	2,045	0	5	1,449	22	683	2,438	253	1,186	140	3,286
Switzerland	199	252	145	3,157	0	2	1,731	10	326	4,297	106	907	103	1,944
Tajikistan	17	31	25	164	0	1	0	0	0	107	18	1	0	144
Turkey	648	112	3,863	44,789	0	96	727	229	99	7,927	113	1,754	76	2,885
Turkmenistan	25	221	95	148	0	4	0	1	0	54	13	5	0	146
Ukraine	467	1,870	7,868	5,307	0	123	4,625	378	2	808	236	1,502	6	3,281
Uzbekistan	268	19	38	4,463	0	17	169	1	0	405	51	96	12	449
Vatican City	27	0	0	21	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1
Yugoslavia [1]	82	152	684	11,590	0	458	9	547	5	962	134	598	71	1,261
Region Total for Europe	**18,809**	**15,545**	**53,193**	**481,572**	**0**	**7,365**	**74,340**	**9,147**	**12,317**	**63,303**	**8,708**	**50,842**	**6,566**	**180,361**
North America														
Antigua and Barbuda	78	3	954	1,596	0	13	14	1	0	86	10	17	1	22
Bahamas	140	6	24	15,151	0	31	165	14	0	1,404	14	161	0	24
Barbados	215	15	3,462	5,757	0	103	42	2	1	282	26	145	0	133

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Nationality	K	L	M	NATO	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	NAFTA	Grand Total
Europe–Continued															
Luxembourg	1	13	3	4	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	363
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of	9	0	2	0	0	8	37	0	12	0	0	0	7	0	6,340
Malta	3	9	2	0	0	5	3	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	4,348
Moldova	10	7	0	0	0	6	17	0	7	0	0	0	0	2	2,365
Monaco	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Netherlands	111	2,189	183	180	0	139	426	3	74	0	0	0	0	7	16,452
Norway	28	564	91	103	0	54	74	126	31	0	0	0	0	0	7,721
Poland	218	346	22	157	0	78	486	0	160	0	0	0	560	9	105,365
Portugal	31	162	12	145	0	34	50	0	14	0	0	0	19	2	4,685
Romania	195	80	4	0	0	37	143	0	76	0	0	0	62	11	33,662
Russia	2,589	496	14	0	0	312	2,502	3	73	0	0	0	29	17	97,638
San Marino	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Slovakia	38	59	1	2	0	19	95	0	32	0	0	0	28	2	19,662
Slovenia	3	33	4	0	0	9	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,270
Spain	46	1,040	41	113	0	216	749	7	142	0	0	0	3	0	21,594
Sweden	67	1,630	152	0	0	140	500	0	24	0	0	0	0	5	15,637
Switzerland	28	1,112	145	1	0	116	69	1	53	0	0	0	0	3	14,707
Tajikistan	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	511
Turkey	39	291	18	322	0	76	17	1	6	0	0	0	47	4	64,139
Turkmenistan	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	718
Ukraine	1,571	81	3	0	0	45	428	0	105	0	0	0	62	8	28,776
Uzbekistan	66	17	3	0	0	5	13	0	2	0	0	0	3	0	6,097
Vatican City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	58
Yugoslavia [1]	37	42	6	0	0	29	117	0	9	0	0	0	12	2	16,807
Region Total for Europe	**7,647**	**43,660**	**2,208**	**4,053**	**2**	**5,861**	**15,431**	**949**	**2,051**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**955**	**154**	**1,065,039**
North America															
Antigua and Barbuda	4	2	1	0	0	0	4	0	3	0	0	0	4	0	2,813
Bahamas	3	19	170	0	0	1	10	0	16	0	0	0	1	0	17,354
Barbados	2	12	10	0	0	3	20	0	19	0	0	0	7	2	10,258

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Nationality	A	B-1	B-2	B-1,2	B-1,2/BCC	C	C-1/D	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
North America--Continued														
Belize	86	21	3,267	6,213	0	158	32	0	0	280	9	48	0	39
Canada	298	11	6	87	0	2	84	6	1,364	204	591	243	46	113
Costa Rica	190	135	1,364	40,723	0	624	542	67	14	490	80	622	64	1,624
Cuba	211	2,388	20,158	2,872	0	182	4	3	0	40	416	35	18	73
Dominica	35	4	558	1,019	0	14	66	2	1	183	5	36	1	16
Dominican Republic	650	1,489	278	43,404	0	280	164	24	3	539	80	1,026	202	675
El Salvador	349	59	1,385	92,492	0	209	359	0	2	345	82	424	59	206
Grenada	30	28	892	1,648	0	24	116	0	0	129	12	39	0	18
Guatemala	344	177	214	65,538	0	437	317	10	0	445	75	2,834	26	483
Haiti	90	231	2,939	19,657	0	400	205	129	0	270	68	64	15	182
Honduras	189	275	360	29,867	0	385	1,490	13	2	451	65	1,386	16	294
Jamaica	325	214	1,612	52,615	0	182	970	1	1	2,080	88	9,333	3	1,952
Mexico	1,542	11,458	14,759	87,221	1,990,402	662	2,414	345	1,031	8,283	594	69,512	589	4,920
Nicaragua	50	73	470	11,026	0	334	728	3	0	226	57	160	2	199
Panama	333	324	608	16,792	0	593	309	252	5	618	84	354	19	242
Saint Kitts and Nevis	63	7	576	950	0	7	15	2	0	102	16	7	1	5
Saint Lucia	48	7	1,167	1,948	0	57	69	1	0	163	7	21	0	27
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	48	22	697	1,449	0	15	443	0	0	94	13	32	0	15
Trinidad and Tobago	275	359	879	47,800	0	195	903	2	7	1,203	126	377	8	356
Region Total for North America	**5,589**	**17,306**	**56,629**	**545,825**	**1,990,402**	**4,907**	**9,451**	**877**	**2,431**	**17,917**	**2,518**	**86,876**	**1,070**	**11,618**
Oceania														
Australia	2,979	75	574	6,969	0	21	2,320	9	568	1,213	254	4,562	226	7,520
Fiji	32	19	100	3,713	0	98	57	0	0	123	35	27	2	35
Kiribati	6	44	48	128	0	62	625	1	0	11	6	0	0	5
Marshall Islands	2	13	14	15	0	23	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Micronesia, Federated States of	8	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Nauru	12	0	2	84	0	1	13	0	0	1	5	1	0	2
New Zealand	330	119	132	2,280	0	244	953	2	12	377	107	2,427	69	2,857

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Nationality	K	L	M	NATO	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	NAFTA	Grand Total
North America–Continued															
Belize	12	7	13	0	0	1	0	0	8	0	0	0	4	0	10,198
Canada	1,316	268	8	659	0	25	50	1	32	0	0	0	29	32	5,475
Costa Rica	60	279	26	0	0	14	55	0	95	0	0	0	7	1	47,076
Cuba	332	14	1	0	0	10	860	7	6	0	0	0	168	2	27,800
Dominica	11	0	5	0	0	0	18	0	2	0	0	0	26	0	2,002
Dominican Republic	461	83	10	0	0	9	671	0	143	0	0	0	2,545	2	52,738
El Salvador	74	48	7	0	0	6	193	0	65	0	0	0	382	2	96,748
Grenada	2	6	3	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	5	0	2,954
Guatemala	61	108	11	0	0	9	99	0	57	0	0	0	107	0	71,352
Haiti	135	6	6	0	0	1	213	0	41	0	0	0	969	2	25,623
Honduras	99	42	2	0	0	2	99	0	54	0	0	0	109	2	35,202
Jamaica	260	90	57	0	0	95	683	0	44	0	0	0	666	0	71,271
Mexico	1,305	4,980	194	5	0	390	5,602	143	1,013	0	0	0	11,726	1,240	2,220,330
Nicaragua	46	10	1	0	0	3	110	0	15	0	0	0	79	1	13,593
Panama	55	61	20	0	0	9	26	0	14	0	0	0	1	0	20,719
Saint Kitts and Nevis	3	0	5	0	0	0	9	0	2	0	0	0	9	0	1,779
Saint Lucia	7	15	12	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	18	0	3,570
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	3	1	6	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	8	0	2,850
Trinidad and Tobago	38	106	54	0	1	3	382	0	36	0	0	0	33	0	53,143
Region Total for North America	**4,289**	**6,157**	**622**	**664**	**1**	**581**	**9,108**	**151**	**1,670**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**16,903**	**1,286**	**2,794,848**
Oceania															
Australia	289	3,638	44	0	2	432	524	3	240	0	0	0	0	10	32,472
Fiji	21	3	5	0	0	1	1	0	35	0	0	0	33	0	4,340
Kiribati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	936
Marshall Islands	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	70
Micronesia, Federated States of	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Nauru	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	121
New Zealand	78	681	11	0	0	103	192	0	111	0	0	0	0	3	11,088

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Nationality	A	B-1	B-2	B-1,2	B-1,2/BCC	C	C-1/D	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
Oceania–Continued														
Palau	8	0	2	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Papua New Guinea	45	205	175	23	0	58	1	13	0	34	44	3	0	8
Samoa	22	13	212	2,154	0	32	71	1	0	45	4	2	0	2
Solomon Islands	8	19	14	47	0	6	4	0	0	1	2	0	0	6
Tonga	40	5	287	2,309	0	8	5	0	0	37	5	1	0	7
Tuvalu	13	0	1	36	0	5	160	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Vanuatu	11	8	5	37	0	23	0	0	0	2	10	0	0	6
Region Total for Oceania	**3,516**	**520**	**1,566**	**17,804**	**0**	**581**	**4,210**	**26**	**580**	**1,845**	**473**	**7,023**	**297**	**10,450**
South America														
Argentina	1,447	135	43	1,425	0	13	432	2	242	3,471	432	2,008	124	2,960
Bolivia	576	46	123	13,861	0	279	121	2	21	546	267	115	12	212
Brazil	2,984	4,164	167,494	28,660	0	625	1	2,394	23	13,232	1,062	4,340	442	9,183
Chile	1,269	525	1,462	53,620	0	662	1,564	5	7	1,540	325	690	189	1,601
Colombia	1,607	952	822	172,719	0	936	1,209	5	389	5,213	493	3,742	447	3,165
Ecuador	1,241	1,001	1,698	60,156	0	700	283	78	40	1,450	183	559	42	1,157
Guyana	114	38	365	10,433	0	368	231	52	0	153	59	48	11	58
Paraguay	447	138	76	5,743	0	240	9	0	6	329	71	60	17	157
Peru	727	912	1,103	95,475	0	503	1,785	5	14	1,764	580	1,531	165	1,632
Suriname	63	15	698	1,081	0	107	6	0	6	43	38	10	0	11
Uruguay	419	16	5	815	0	39	166	3	1	248	176	165	32	259
Venezuela	1,681	448	196	111,306	0	311	650	6	24	4,737	482	3,263	126	1,680
Region Total for South America	**12,575**	**8,390**	**174,085**	**555,294**	**0**	**4,783**	**6,457**	**2,552**	**773**	**32,726**	**4,168**	**16,531**	**1,607**	**22,075**
No Nationality	**1**	**110**	**2,295**	**4,207**	**0**	**47**	**1,196**	**8,480**	**1**	**172**	**3**	**93**	**5**	**659**
United Nations Laissez Passer	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**239**	**0**	**0**	**0**

Table XVII (Part II)
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Nationality	K	L	M	NATO	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	NAFTA	Grand Total
Oceania–Continued															
Palau	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19
Papua New Guinea	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	613
Samoa	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	79	0	0	0	0	0	2,638
Solomon Islands	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	108
Tonga	4	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	44	0	0	0	8	0	2,762
Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	217
Vanuatu	1	0	0	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	117
Region Total for Oceania	**396**	**4,323**	**62**	**0**	**2**	**537**	**731**	**3**	**511**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**41**	**14**	**55,511**
South America															
Argentina	46	1,505	49	0	2	208	500	2	325	0	0	0	0	4	15,375
Bolivia	29	52	13	0	0	5	62	0	20	0	0	0	22	3	16,387
Brazil	254	3,764	97	0	0	431	692	15	730	0	0	0	19	3	240,609
Chile	38	625	17	0	2	59	108	0	81	0	0	0	2	4	64,395
Colombia	895	3,251	62	1	0	198	757	1	346	0	0	0	182	15	197,407
Ecuador	190	329	12	0	0	13	117	0	88	0	0	0	568	1	69,906
Guyana	81	14	11	0	0	2	24	0	22	0	0	0	423	1	12,508
Paraguay	12	16	1	0	0	3	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	7,339
Peru	381	358	13	0	0	50	462	4	214	0	0	0	89	1	107,768
Suriname	2	15	3	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	5	0	2,109
Uruguay	2	73	4	0	0	27	15	1	20	0	0	0	0	0	2,486
Venezuela	99	2,747	55	0	0	237	615	1	138	0	0	0	23	2	128,827
Region Total for South America	**2,029**	**12,749**	**337**	**1**	**4**	**1,233**	**3,352**	**24**	**2,004**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**1,333**	**34**	**865,116**
No Nationality	**8**	**13**	**6**	**1**	**0**	**5**	**28**	**0**	**49**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**4**	**17,383**
United Nations Laissez Passer	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**239**

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Table XVII (Part I)
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Nationality	A	B-1	B-2	B-1,2	B-1,2/BCC	C	C-1/D	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
Grand Totals	78,288	84,201	381,431	3,527,118	1,990,402	32,952	167,435	30,095	36,886	319,517	32,877	348,995	13,799	299,958

Table XVII (Part II)
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued (Continued)
Fiscal Year 2001

Nationality	K	L	M	NATO	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	NAFTA	Grand Total
Grand Totals	**28,712**	**120,538**	**5,658**	**4,723**	**14**	**10,871**	**34,018**	**1,618**	**11,512**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**25,332**	**1,828**	**7,588,778**

Note: See Table XVI(A) for explanation of the nonimmigrant visa symbols used in this table. Applicants bearing passports of dependent areas are reported under the nationality of the governing country.

[1] On November 17, 2000, the United States Government established diplomatic relations with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, recognizing it as an independent state. The former practice of using Serbia and Montenegro for the name of this entity was discontinued.

Table XVIII
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Nationality
(Including Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Nationality	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa										
Algeria	5,895	5,855	6,897	6,176	6,081	6,878	6,597	6,454	6,685	7,069
Angola	820	927	1,148	1,292	2,119	2,401	2,222	2,843	3,529	3,565
Benin	890	960	1,003	1,104	1,046	1,115	1,100	1,433	1,481	1,336
Botswana	930	844	955	828	887	850	1,238	1,153	1,387	1,322
Burkina Faso	647	736	789	868	1,185	1,196	1,379	1,353	1,355	1,952
Burundi	513	528	592	540	498	461	431	506	671	901
Cameroon	2,768	2,950	3,278	2,408	2,876	2,970	3,303	5,106	5,403	6,891
Cape Verde	982	1,563	2,423	2,131	2,084	4,262	2,885	2,909	3,321	5,986
Central African Republic	245	256	266	265	266	210	210	232	344	468
Chad	351	403	414	292	327	499	716	591	596	620
Comoros	88	88	40	74	74	51	47	43	71	112
Congo, Republic of the	788	720	725	908	1,222	611	652	791	866	1,093
Congo, Democratic Republic of the	2,649	2,330	2,700	2,970	4,124	3,175	2,804	2,566	3,229	4,312
Cote d'Ivoire	3,659	3,957	4,619	5,109	4,831	4,756	4,627	4,393	3,991	4,702
Djibouti	438	339	512	325	434	398	908	569	715	510
Egypt	30,348	32,759	33,271	33,850	37,898	40,696	41,717	43,486	48,883	50,138
Equatorial Guinea	82	86	93	74	162	164	160	234	316	362
Eritrea [1]		113	697	1,202	1,354	1,343	1,227	1,963	1,694	1,704
Ethiopia	9,322	8,000	6,026	7,841	5,979	5,297	5,912	6,702	7,185	7,132
Gabon	919	1,006	913	1,174	1,231	1,161	1,155	1,282	1,323	1,308
Gambia	2,113	2,117	2,018	2,790	2,055	1,586	1,646	2,012	2,835	2,934
Ghana	7,175	6,840	7,713	9,166	13,680	11,593	13,291	18,690	18,482	19,995
Guinea	2,027	2,533	2,521	3,194	3,170	3,834	5,992	3,456	3,885	5,058
Guinea-Bissau	193	200	222	228	288	251	185	153	266	260
Kenya	6,158	5,609	6,429	7,957	8,753	9,628	10,646	11,483	12,971	20,971
Lesotho	260	323	258	312	294	210	309	248	323	221
Liberia	1,663	1,651	2,349	1,866	1,332	2,056	2,892	2,692	4,885	3,015
Libya	454	424	499	461	450	411	370	436	445	500
Madagascar	547	693	991	759	812	796	914	1,097	1,156	1,136
Malawi	563	516	672	707	889	891	948	1,101	1,396	1,290
Mali	1,709	1,734	1,964	2,010	2,482	2,999	3,329	3,098	5,433	6,048
Mauritania	436	463	462	569	670	687	775	1,051	1,436	1,588

Table XVIII
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Nationality (Continued)
(Including Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Nationality	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa–Continued										
Mauritius	1,689	1,717	2,203	1,998	1,697	1,777	1,756	1,818	1,898	1,818
Morocco	10,809	11,748	14,221	14,059	16,713	16,443	18,965	20,991	19,813	18,958
Mozambique	655	564	555	629	694	743	854	921	1,116	1,084
Namibia	527	489	692	708	802	693	764	902	957	875
Niger	566	511	512	615	695	706	847	1,240	1,510	1,600
Nigeria	21,596	20,160	20,074	18,834	21,896	25,077	26,966	28,208	27,294	42,222
Rwanda	372	442	243	237	515	705	1,192	1,237	1,424	980
Sao Tome and Principe	64	80	41	58	73	47	102	85	97	82
Senegal	5,368	5,609	6,015	5,785	6,862	7,134	8,441	9,028	12,156	10,265
Seychelles	225	219	245	227	393	209	247	266	279	256
Sierra Leone	2,482	1,572	1,636	1,703	2,418	2,056	1,462	1,301	1,750	1,910
Somalia	2,044	1,706	1,011	861	586	619	783	892	995	989
South Africa	51,436	60,200	57,288	60,536	65,159	72,221	73,354	68,685	71,605	66,541
Sudan	3,285	3,527	3,214	3,691	3,219	3,362	3,207	3,778	4,598	4,930
Swaziland	337	413	359	342	416	311	289	298	455	367
Tanzania	2,842	2,982	2,891	2,842	2,907	3,391	3,564	5,265	5,719	6,414
Togo	842	856	1,108	1,395	1,270	1,063	1,228	1,140	1,559	2,773
Tunisia	4,342	4,250	4,096	4,459	5,550	7,630	8,080	9,830	11,905	6,759
Uganda	1,886	1,876	2,165	1,811	2,372	2,510	3,188	4,333	4,627	4,239
Zambia	1,812	1,892	1,877	1,868	1,986	2,045	2,261	2,864	3,312	5,012
Zimbabwe	3,517	3,159	3,849	4,015	4,273	5,032	5,934	6,518	7,941	6,362
Africa Total	**202,328**	**211,495**	**217,754**	**226,123**	**250,049**	**267,210**	**284,071**	**299,726**	**327,568**	**348,935**
Asia										
Afghanistan	2,474	2,541	2,561	2,472	2,564	2,285	2,164	2,217	1,991	1,988
Bahrain	2,665	3,222	3,944	4,005	3,831	2,948	2,694	2,502	2,815	2,826
Bangladesh	12,888	16,889	17,582	17,860	18,366	12,688	14,154	16,119	17,013	18,731
Bhutan	123	125	101	120	191	224	242	329	335	407
Brunei	716	585	341	346	339	397	205	142	210	154
Burma	2,227	2,309	2,873	3,168	3,364	3,452	4,083	4,386	5,431	4,505

Table XVIII
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Nationality (Continued)
(Including Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Nationality	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Asia–Continued										
Cambodia	454	833	1,099	2,020	1,838	3,050	676	895	2,550	4,439
China (mainland)	119,046	176,859	160,070	202,242	229,879	250,503	255,114	252,673	315,536	345,748
(Taiwan)	240,646	269,345	293,681	359,501	379,355	344,901	263,967	269,802	279,153	242,547
East Timor [2]									16	29
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region [3]						5,194	35,766	24,374	25,857	30,764
India	142,232	121,869	127,780	152,904	198,831	249,715	295,220	331,784	396,853	416,559
Indonesia	52,686	55,765	68,768	80,748	76,282	78,213	38,837	50,835	70,299	68,736
Iran	34,248	34,680	30,956	29,039	25,631	21,164	23,296	23,362	24,932	22,749
Iraq	2,534	3,173	2,972	2,785	2,462	2,467	2,378	2,395	2,993	3,546
Israel	93,155	92,281	101,215	113,687	124,010	129,580	128,338	129,303	143,297	147,745
Japan	110,571	119,102	113,655	106,050	109,045	116,093	117,712	112,944	111,140	112,062
Jordan	16,451	18,548	19,926	20,735	20,736	15,423	16,320	19,403	21,811	25,472
Korea, North	244	244	967	1,583	1,856	1,745	1,531	1,643	1,634	1,489
Korea, South	289,005	266,854	320,747	394,044	545,867	619,011	380,645	402,418	479,205	430,855
Kuwait	15,681	17,761	17,414	18,273	16,722	13,038	16,240	13,923	10,443	9,537
Laos	1,[illegible]33	872	665	663	885	1,019	1,168	1,135	1,454	2,415
Lebanon	22,89[illegible]	20,676	24,322	16,064	14,183	16,144	16,265	20,523	24,697	28,440
Macau Special Administrative Region [4]									1,341	1,611
Malaysia	41,766	42,297	47,808	58,126	67,770	67,941	37,147	42,892	52,173	53,191
Maldives	174	153	403	107	146	81	113	180	239	203
Mongolia	420	430	229	897	1,290	1,909	2,282	2,922	2,792	3,498
Nepal	2,622	2,615	2,632	3,288	4,755	5,709	7,008	5,969	6,652	7,539
Oman	2,172	2,278	2,617	2,937	2,848	2,442	2,760	2,996	2,949	2,968
Pakistan	46,840	43,971	45,372	50,873	39,753	48,695	44,574	49,769	88,791	75,512
Palestinian Authority Travel Document				156	2,470	3,159	3,172	3,398	3,734	4,700
Philippines	159,966	156,228	157,161	173,592	163,287	145,043	151,182	146,603	169,408	195,328
Qatar	2,248	2,797	2,889	3,033	2,558	2,784	2,866	2,550	2,917	2,625
Saudi Arabia	49,459	53,430	54,345	50,129	48,255	51,443	51,067	56,495	60,508	46,636
Singapore	39,286	37,629	42,250	55,289	61,397	63,159	50,379	35,423	7,475	7,991
Sri Lanka	8,225	8,669	8,655	9,427	9,038	8,778	10,707	11,687	12,756	10,499

Table XVIII
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Nationality (Continued)
(Including Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Nationality	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Asia–Continued										
Syria	13,922	11,664	12,107	10,847	10,886	9,914	10,423	12,416	14,344	13,502
Thailand	47,320	53,932	63,180	72,939	74,287	66,674	33,371	47,041	61,300	59,127
United Arab Emirates	6,180	8,367	9,880	10,997	12,754	10,741	11,310	11,365	12,000	11,505
Vietnam	4,331	5,199	4,984	7,295	8,456	8,539	8,963	8,839	13,339	20,446
Yemen	3,960	3,154	2,624	3,843	3,403	3,419	3,287	3,665	4,076	3,083
Asia Total	**1,591,758**	**1,657,346**	**1,768,775**	**2,042,084**	**2,289,590**	**2,389,684**	**2,047,626**	**2,127,317**	**2,456,459**	**2,441,707**
Europe										
Albania	626	2,484	2,415	3,683	4,462	2,616	3,933	4,912	7,245	7,661
Andorra	22	29	29	40	46	21	24	25	24	11
Armenia [5]	140	3,040	4,503	6,658	4,534	5,397	5,673	12,271	12,488	11,125
Austria	8,210	6,906	6,948	9,130	8,793	8,203	7,832	8,205	7,772	7,333
Azerbaijan [5]	9	452	1,145	1,825	1,498	1,482	1,776	2,330	2,582	2,469
Belarus [5]	132	971	4,038	5,544	5,069	5,643	6,167	8,583	8,867	8,166
Belgium	11,534	8,007	6,499	6,531	6,657	6,236	6,730	6,443	6,958	6,059
Bosnia and Herzegovina [6]	-	529	914	1,160	2,190	2,893	3,505	6,005	8,414	8,805
Bulgaria	8,057	12,385	13,702	12,510	13,967	12,957	16,262	18,558	19,401	22,763
Croatia [6]	62	12,328	15,479	17,514	17,914	17,303	18,662	20,165	21,197	20,340
Cyprus	4,461	4,798	5,255	6,104	6,616	6,872	6,920	7,180	7,307	6,383
Czechoslovakia [7]	39,033									
Czech Republic [7]		33,112	32,183	41,155	45,021	46,676	49,031	44,457	42,932	40,541
Denmark	15,843	17,124	18,862	21,221	15,022	10,830	10,316	10,111	9,569	8,667
Estonia	2,447	2,687	3,213	4,244	4,569	5,214	5,206	6,278	6,444	6,150
Finland	6,895	6,285	6,324	6,538	6,738	5,585	5,977	6,141	5,776	5,648
France	49,616	36,243	34,767	36,966	42,865	37,730	39,931	41,872	45,188	47,323
Georgia [5]	19	522	2,279	2,649	3,398	3,615	5,815	7,587	4,149	4,062
Germany	136,538	78,937	64,855	77,102	76,303	72,868	72,488	74,756	74,915	72,567
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	222,881	203,334	200,164	218,664	221,628	243,921	175,882	155,011	163,150	158,112
Greece	46,700	47,452	49,460	48,723	47,056	45,609	41,622	42,281	43,567	40,183
Hungary	29,153	35,536	37,039	40,389	46,660	44,051	40,435	40,975	42,908	32,982

Table XVIII
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Nationality (Continued)
(Including Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Nationality	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Europe–Continued										
Iceland	2,816	3,103	2,834	2,800	2,972	2,111	2,485	1,944	1,833	1,899
Ireland	75,406	82,606	92,337	45,932	14,514	14,573	16,846	18,811	20,407	21,074
Italy	26,321	21,638	22,432	25,436	24,086	21,665	22,036	22,946	22,648	20,606
Kazakhstan [5]	164	2,244	4,493	5,351	5,913	3,805	4,686	4,515	5,161	5,368
Kyrgyzstan [5]	3	370	906	1,110	1,290	1,446	1,683	1,605	1,825	1,704
Latvia	1,069	2,424	3,360	4,143	4,816	4,848	5,399	6,090	7,144	7,556
Liechtenstein	47	72	83	59	75	88	82	79	88	71
Lithuania	3,316	3,578	5,196	6,637	7,765	6,954	6,987	6,924	14,193	20,466
Luxembourg	701	699	776	631	506	413	381	429	393	363
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav Republic of [8]			905	2,982	4,786	4,482	4,961	5,287	4,966	6,340
Malta	2,979	3,394	3,473	3,813	5,115	5,184	4,885	5,114	5,156	4,348
Moldova [5]	8	381	1,010	1,698	1,900	1,586	1,815	2,159	2,885	2,365
Monaco	19	21	17	32	24	26	27	15	35	20
Netherlands	38,078	35,066	23,331	25,079	23,020	16,773	17,576	16,829	17,682	16,452
Norway	9,787	9,101	10,033	11,212	10,281	8,546	8,581	8,135	8,311	7,721
Poland	80,552	67,590	62,906	67,543	85,828	88,277	89,748	103,177	110,471	105,365
Portugal	52,514	53,839	48,127	47,539	48,134	47,711	45,619	42,872	5,576	4,685
Romania	16,638	16,873	20,570	21,969	28,984	24,744	26,193	25,298	27,213	33,662
Russia [5]	59,752	109,486	118,094	135,226	141,627	126,222	137,960	106,126	99,051	97,638
San Marino	16	8	20	15	27	20	20	30	25	10
Slovakia [7]		10,493	14,683	14,628	16,920	15,157	14,851	14,604	16,746	19,662
Slovenia [6]	5	5,916	7,352	9,559	9,883	10,792	1,609	1,227	1,212	1,270
Spain	40,356	28,692	25,447	26,389	23,303	19,721	19,507	21,326	21,961	21,594
Sweden	30,119	26,230	20,928	20,937	19,794	18,652	18,779	17,607	17,679	15,637
Switzerland	25,085	18,135	18,774	19,531	18,154	16,644	17,883	17,896	16,341	14,707
Tajikistan [5]	1	31	491	517	587	409	241	456	469	511
Turkey	31,707	34,113	34,559	35,956	42,869	52,118	57,494	65,574	76,539	64,139
Turkmenistan [5]	-	218	470	570	792	565	496	457	548	718
Ukraine [5]	3,034	21,027	24,980	29,495	32,455	23,427	25,270	22,248	27,185	28,776
U.S.S.R. [5]	66,906									
Uzbekistan [5]	7	909	1,796	2,575	3,413	3,576	3,766	5,004	6,471	6,097

Table XVIII
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Nationality (Continued)
(Including Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Nationality	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Europe–Continued										
Vatican City	67	50	51	56	79	75	77	76	62	58
Yugoslavia [9]	36,986	21,209	17,750	17,789	18,747	18,832	16,984	12,898	14,167	16,807
Europe Total	**1,186,837**	**1,092,677**	**1,098,257**	**1,155,559**	**1,179,665**	**1,145,164**	**1,099,114**	**1,081,904**	**1,095,296**	**1,065,039**
North America										
Antigua and Barbuda	7,738	3,654	2,520	2,195	2,177	3,304	3,144	4,150	3,462	2,813
Bahamas	14,618	13,874	14,914	33,270	15,796	16,168	17,782	24,987	18,010	17,354
Barbados	14,267	18,687	12,151	10,440	8,854	9,957	11,649	12,447	11,099	10,258
Belize	7,168	8,021	8,935	9,678	8,318	7,106	7,055	9,499	11,125	10,198
Canada	4,736	3,668	3,914	3,642	4,938	4,062	4,344	4,935	5,237	5,475
Costa Rica	47,817	52,348	56,826	55,624	49,632	50,732	56,032	54,387	57,594	47,076
Cuba	30,715	28,362	19,850	10,393	7,774	7,215	10,473	9,197	44,283	27,800
Dominica	2,832	2,810	1,804	1,876	1,761	2,472	3,062	4,226	2,817	2,002
Dominican Republic	47,562	62,529	82,580	85,138	72,054	58,919	61,940	69,371	50,171	52,738
El Salvador	42,426	52,406	33,573	34,696	35,349	39,112	56,644	67,590	73,054	96,748
Grenada	3,440	3,771	2,488	2,717	2,482	3,000	4,512	5,918	4,506	2,954
Guatemala	37,167	47,104	52,794	40,833	42,088	46,396	55,387	64,388	64,733	71,352
Haiti	12,646	16,970	26,125	36,916	22,488	16,355	20,551	26,565	27,609	25,623
Honduras	30,804	22,356	25,491	20,730	23,954	24,875	32,672	31,209	36,776	35,202
Jamaica	35,935	33,600	47,143	75,972	49,644	37,409	48,904	71,331	82,190	71,271
Mexico	637,162	591,836	659,843	664,049	508,431	548,716	741,501	1,108,588	1,762,402	2,220,330
Nicaragua	26,250	27,461	23,039	16,985	13,421	19,468	18,960	15,606	13,017	13,593
Panama	22,264	23,727	23,228	21,015	21,608	19,583	18,284	21,715	23,316	20,719
Saint Kitts and Nevis	3,021	2,713	1,633	1,631	1,496	1,586	1,742	2,770	2,135	1,779
Saint Lucia	3,864	4,513	3,056	2,850	3,395	4,801	5,746	7,919	6,827	3,570
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	3,418	3,486	3,293	3,631	2,740	2,817	3,337	4,695	3,721	2,850
Trinidad and Tobago	22,392	25,849	51,290	60,390	48,841	43,422	43,930	44,863	57,889	53,143
North America Total	**1,058,242**	**1,049,745**	**1,156,490**	**1,194,671**	**947,241**	**967,475**	**1,227,651**	**1,666,356**	**2,361,973**	**2,794,848**

Table XVIII
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Nationality (Continued)
(Including Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Nationality	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Oceania										
Australia	276,378	254,243	250,542	265,308	268,667	26,973	28,044	30,576	31,145	32,472
Fiji	5,021	7,947	7,435	6,072	4,812	4,667	4,645	5,735	4,946	4,340
Kiribati	884	1,264	1,158	1,080	1,092	1,001	951	757	702	936
Marshall Islands	15	7	12	8	27	40	41	59	57	70
Micronesia, Federated States of	9	7	13	2	22	6	14	8	16	10
Nauru	214	116	201	58	76	55	61	70	272	121
New Zealand	19,191	15,544	15,699	17,221	11,261	8,774	8,435	9,265	9,895	11,088
Pacific Islands, Trust Territory of the [10]	489	560	336							
Palau [10]				13	13	29	6	2	13	19
Papua New Guinea	630	730	708	829	981	873	901	1,063	775	613
Samoa	1,600	2,323	2,576	1,629	1,239	1,594	1,601	1,679	2,030	2,638
Solomon Islands	115	95	143	132	65	93	124	143	88	108
Tonga	2,761	2,131	1,815	1,987	1,831	2,072	1,982	2,895	2,548	2,762
Tuvalu	560	504	375	237	242	164	172	227	175	217
Vanuatu	59	76	60	82	39	68	76	86	173	117
Oceania Total	**307,926**	**285,547**	**281,073**	**294,658**	**290,367**	**46,409**	**47,053**	**52,565**	**52,835**	**55,511**
South America										
Argentina	177,358	158,452	168,224	152,715	111,684	11,226	12,089	12,636	13,793	15,375
Bolivia	15,624	12,923	13,640	12,349	10,676	12,746	14,521	20,543	34,751	16,387
Brazil	262,750	305,557	339,239	528,038	635,770	575,041	496,683	313,034	261,096	240,609
Chile	61,371	55,205	50,628	63,798	58,438	55,696	55,464	55,311	66,451	64,395
Colombia	121,453	135,916	136,042	132,921	133,538	176,438	236,891	280,238	195,058	197,407
Ecuador	53,875	46,722	41,577	39,791	46,110	62,287	66,942	45,104	38,763	69,906
Guyana	7,314	6,739	8,512	11,334	13,028	9,201	8,392	7,194	5,891	12,508
Paraguay	7,082	7,379	7,301	9,202	8,307	7,400	7,329	7,471	7,500	7,339
Peru	60,109	79,098	98,015	49,433	54,510	56,017	55,059	61,792	81,782	107,768
Suriname	9,464	3,300	2,298	5,602	3,208	3,157	3,071	2,276	2,342	2,109
Uruguay	14,957	16,447	18,027	22,559	21,449	23,274	22,314	16,776	2,395	2,486
Venezuela	156,428	159,642	133,629	167,725	117,093	87,172	106,496	119,232	116,414	128,827

Table XVIII
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Nationality (Continued)
(Including Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Nationality	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
South America–Continued										
South America Total	**947,785**	**987,380**	**1,017,132**	**1,195,467**	**1,213,811**	**1,079,655**	**1,085,251**	**941,607**	**826,236**	**865,116**
No Nationality	73,301	75,302	71,293	73,101	67,040	46,377	23,225	22,851	21,023	17,383
UN Laissez Passer	260	128	179	159	107	87	162	152	246	239
Grand Total	**5,368,437**	**5,359,620**	**5,610,953**	**6,181,822**	**6,237,870**	**5,942,061**	**5,814,153**	**6,192,478**	**7,141,636**	**7,588,778**

Note: Applicants bearing passports of dependent areas are reported under the nationality of the governing country.

[1] On April 27, 1993, the United States recognized the independence of Eritrea.

[2] East Timor voted for independence from Indonesia in an August 30, 1999 referendum and is currently under the authority of the United Nations Transitional Administration in East Timor (UNTAET).

[3] On December 19, 1984, the United Kingdom and China signed a joint declaration on the question of sovereignty over Hong Kong. Under that declaration, China resumed the exercise of sovereignty over Hong Kong on July 1, 1997. The Hong Kong Special Administrative Region government enjoys a high degree of political and economic autonomy.

[4] The Government of Portugal signed an agreement with China on April 13, 1987 returning Macau to Chinese administration effective December 20, 1999. As of December 20, 1999, Macau was designated as the Special Administrative Region of Macau.

[5] On December 25, 1991, the United States recognized the independence of Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Moldova, Russia, Tajikistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, and Uzbekistan, the 12 republics that had constituted the U.S.S.R.

[6] On April 7, 1992, the United States recognized the independence of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Croatia, and Slovenia, three of the republics that had previously formed constituent parts of Yugoslavia.

[7] On January 1, 1993, the United States recognized the independence of the Czech Republic and Slovakia, separate states that had previously comprised Czechoslovakia.

[8] On February 8, 1994, the United States recognized the independence of The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

[9] On November 17, 2000, the United States Government established diplomatic relations with the Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, recognizing it as an independent state. The former practice of using Serbia and Montenegro for the name of this entity was discontinued.

[10] On October 1, 1994, the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands (Palau) ended its status as a United Nations Trust Territory administered by the United States and became an independent state, in free association with the United States.

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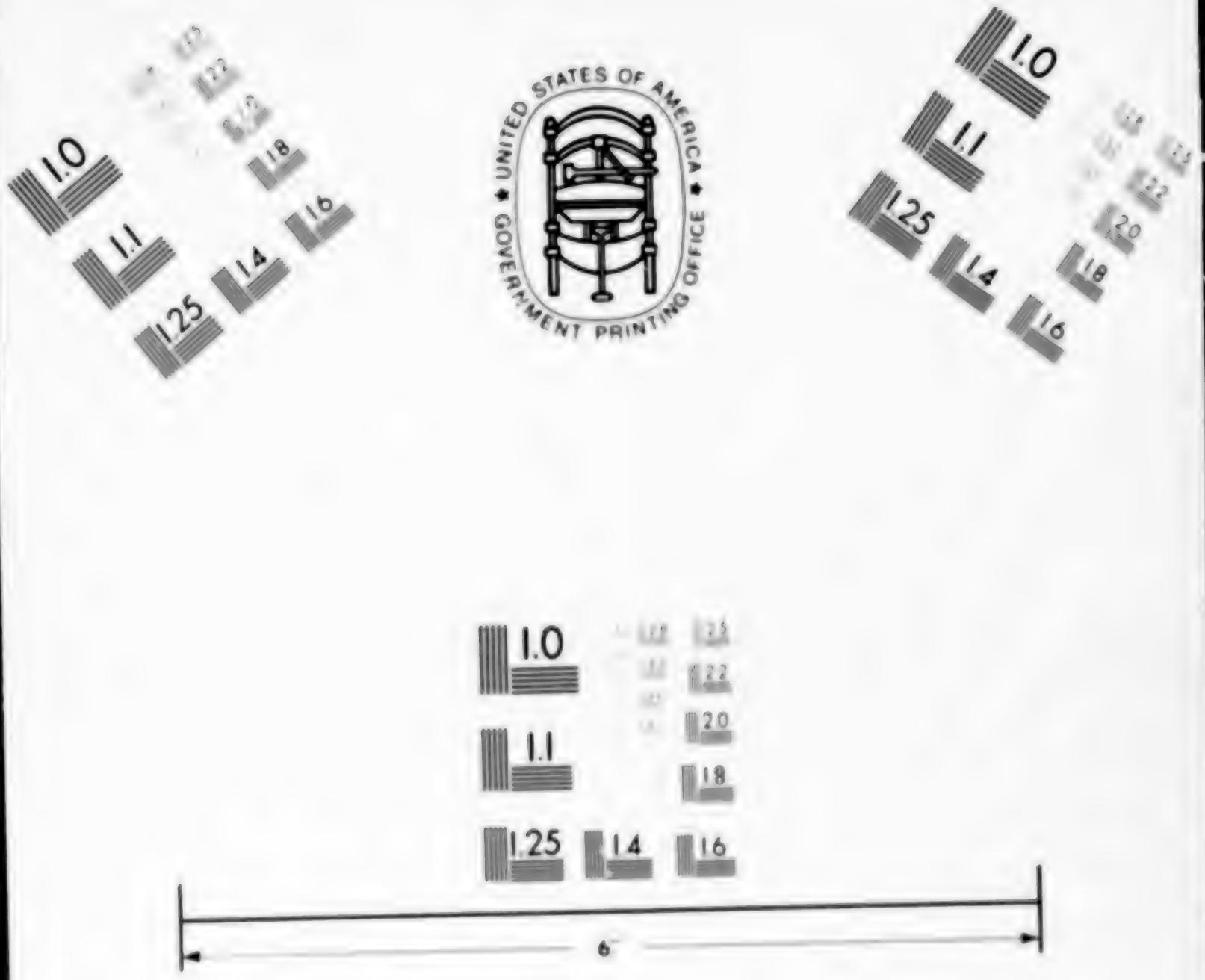
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Table XIX
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Issuing Office
(Including Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Issuing Office	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa (AF)										
Angola, Luanda [1]			662	1,294	2,491	3,202	2,648	2,942	3,315	3,425
Benin, Cotonou	642	620	754	736	646	739	702	883	941	828
Botswana, Gaborone	1,424	1,293	1,357	1,222	1,571	1,532	1,937	1,626	1,900	2,238
Burkina Faso, Ouagadougou	493	549	614	774	1,104	1,068	1,223	1,098	1,026	1,636
Burundi, Bujumbura	514	565	529	457	314	211	177	229	375	625
Cameroon, Yaounde	1,388	1,441	2,104	1,206	1,596	1,727	2,106	3,777	4,035	5,359
Douala [2] [3]	383	441								
Cape Verde, Praia	737	1,339	2,189	1,893	1,747	3,892	2,614	2,594	2,954	5,581
Central African Republic, Bangui	184	222	250	252	270	111	-	1	236	579
Chad, N'Djamena	304	298	317	197	199	370	600	472	390	363
Comoros, Moroni [3]	73	67								
Congo, Republic of the, Brazzaville [4]	686	665	749	952	1,755	295	-	-	-	-
Congo, Dem. Rep. of the, Kinshasa	1,707	1,258	1,800	1,989	3,232	2,079	1,723	-	1,353	3,656
Cote d'Ivoire, Abidjan	5,354	5,361	6,028	6,618	6,373	5,586	5,813	5,164	4,633	5,576
Djibouti, Djibouti	520	391	508	330	390	381	944	624	680	524
Equatorial Guinea, Malabo [5]	153	163	160	71						
Eritrea, Asmara [6]		40	724	1,122	1,098	1,059	736	1,053	556	695
Ethiopia, Addis Ababa	6,752	5,334	3,703	5,613	3,985	3,348	4,088	4,885	4,841	4,965
Gabon, Libreville	1,299	1,785	1,649	1,542	1,666	1,265	1,609	1,831	1,576	1,593
Gambia, Banjul	1,959	1,772	1,572	2,297	1,836	1,279	1,399	1,525	2,518	2,538
Ghana, Accra	5,066	4,617	5,230	6,858	11,505	9,154	10,188	14,729	14,844	13,304
Guinea, Conakry	1,510	1,903	1,802	2,508	2,362	3,764	6,103	3,183	3,574	4,641
Guinea-Bissau, Bissau [7]	245	192	237	198	234	257	116	-	-	-
Kenya, Nairobi	6,126	5,617	6,828	8,328	8,889	9,661	9,804	10,077	12,025	20,256
Lesotho, Maseru	287	385	356	426	392	350	437	416	598	552
Liberia, Monrovia	1,146	1,216	2,214	1,685	879	1,874	2,804	2,367	4,697	2,649
Madagascar, Antananarivo	349	429	441	544	544	536	633	731	865	885
Malawi, Lilongwe	632	562	682	724	943	989	1,089	1,331	1,504	1,376
Mali, Bamako	1,142	1,111	1,149	1,155	1,303	1,702	2,253	2,219	4,481	5,029
Mauritania, Nouakchott	284	300	287	360	336	427	502	784	1,144	1,290
Mauritius, Port Louis	1,321	1,415	1,765	1,694	1,431	1,590	1,614	1,578	1,767	1,807
Mozambique, Maputo	772	815	851	826	715	797	872	921	1,108	1,104

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Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Issuing Office	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Africa (AF)–Continued										
Namibia, Windhoek	612	592	797	807	879	762	827	997	1,095	1,086
Niger, Niamey	370	329	377	434	602	972	1,066	1,140	1,343	1,412
Nigeria, Lagos	15,564	14,777	14,624	14,297	18,294	20,923	22,453	22,469	19,948	34,733
Kaduna [8]	3,021	2,280	1,164							
Rwanda, Kigali	323	366	-	88	461	635	1,118	1,119	1,205	840
Senegal, Dakar	3,663	3,874	4,220	4,048	4,556	5,349	6,675	7,509	10,831	8,581
Seychelles, Victoria [9]	177	215	244	208	382					
Sierra Leone, Freetown [4]	2,043	1,009	1,104	1,041	1,824	673	-	-	-	-
South Africa, Pretoria	402	390	449	690	756	717	585	415	600	780
Cape Town	10,260	13,259	13,201	13,701	14,601	16,244	16,522	15,357	16,976	16,394
Durban	7,613	9,230	8,645	8,662	10,079	10,301	9,993	9,708	9,175	8,930
Johannesburg	31,997	36,521	33,697	36,862	37,540	43,513	44,629	41,058	41,392	36,108
Sudan, Khartoum [10]	1,675	1,648	1,288	1,699	475	-	-	-	-	-
Swaziland, Mbabane	431	433	423	393	501	334	376	391	553	481
Tanzania, Dar Es Salaam	2,134	2,243	2,243	2,296	2,397	3,030	2,801	4,099	5,062	5,743
Togo, Lome	1,047	1,048	1,371	1,765	1,108	870	1,028	1,077	1,576	2,735
Uganda, Kampala	1,631	1,498	1,726	1,339	1,987	2,049	2,927	4,205	4,412	3,474
Zambia, Lusaka	1,878	1,831	2,207	2,270	2,357	2,236	2,544	3,400	3,745	5,469
Zimbabwe, Harare	3,194	2,798	3,458	3,767	3,832	4,533	5,610	6,374	7,404	5,614
Africa Total	**131,487**	**136,507**	**138,749**	**148,238**	**162,437**	**172,386**	**183,888**	**186,358**	**203,253**	**225,454**
East Asia and Pacific (EAP)										
Australia, Canberra	9,729	9,550	9,223	10,110	9,899	3,023	3,149	1,783	2,045	1,938
Melbourne	91,938	83,918	81,409	84,590	82,454	8,737	8,798	10,547	10,540	10,798
Perth	15,721	15,679	18,225	19,185	18,831	3,157	2,774	2,766	3,167	3,143
Sydney	157,667	141,004	135,595	144,285	149,949	17,097	17,840	21,018	22,862	24,045
Brunei, Bandar Seri Begawan	1,232	1,183	1,275	1,140	1,610	1,803	1,324	1,246	819	728
Burma, Rangoon	1,253	1,446	1,862	2,159	2,503	2,826	3,302	3,595	4,573	3,550
Cambodia, Phnom Penh [6]		678	994	1,863	1,822	2,827	195	320	2,266	4,177
China, Beijing	52,286	84,514	72,733	94,145	110,084	119,453	112,766	109,877	136,431	124,332

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Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Issuing Office	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
East Asia and Pacific (EAP)–Continued										
Chengdu	3,343	7,936	5,227	8,720	11,656	10,888	12,527	9,822	14,412	16,801
Guangzhou	9,263	16,918	17,035	25,675	25,684	27,887	29,698	35,402	44,159	67,913
Shanghai	20,929	28,504	30,732	33,626	39,332	47,719	51,347	50,108	58,159	65,744
Shenyang	7,284	12,193	8,115	11,041	15,296	14,952	15,037	8,233	16,420	20,249
Fiji, Suva	9,024	7,718	7,714	6,908	5,454	5,829	6,084	8,160	7,062	6,459
Hong Kong Special Administrative Region, Hong Kong	131,350	132,105	128,468	152,499	164,503	177,598	119,353	83,679	85,878	86,912
Indonesia, Jakarta	40,788	42,341	51,845	62,617	59,591	63,287	27,791	36,891	52,565	52,129
Medan [9]	1,359	1,691	2,045	2,362	2,357					
Surabaya	5,031	5,731	9,278	10,783	10,260	11,133	6,949	8,503	11,859	10,433
Japan, Tokyo	80,923	90,409	86,845	80,437	85,900	88,988	91,849	92,099	92,828	93,019
Fukuoka [5]	5,763	4,932	5,051	5,830						
Naha	1,251	1,198	1,048	974	1,131	1,143	1,028	957	1,016	992
Osaka-Kobe	34,434	32,650	33,055	34,370	42,377	45,935	45,734	44,794	45,971	45,390
Sapporo [5]	4,922	4,908	4,660	4,219						
Korea, Seoul	247,057	220,852	284,766	365,600	515,315	588,562	355,378	377,023	452,919	406,973
Pusan [8]	18,871	24,361	13,031							
Laos, Vientiane	1,776	691	529	516	756	942	1,117	1,108	1,358	2,332
Malaysia, Kuala Lumpur	33,240	32,916	37,796	47,427	57,763	58,130	29,150	35,142	43,238	45,095
Marshall Islands, Majuro	278	250	329	428	1,006	1,131	966	753	499	576
Micronesia, Federated States of, Kolonia	258	411	615	719	462	199	178	211	211	401
Mongolia, Ulaanbaatar	418	381	473	833	1,204	1,808	2,156	2,684	2,446	3,102
New Zealand, Wellington [9]	9,265	5,473	5,824	6,643	1,337					
Auckland	13,241	13,999	14,183	14,402	13,384	12,237	11,811	12,506	13,527	15,417
Palau, Koror	947	936	655	234	215	199	193	159	209	333
Papua New Guinea, Port Moresby	1,835	1,774	1,813	1,791	1,912	1,377	1,432	1,558	1,299	1,044
Philippines, Manila	106,134	101,221	118,097	136,506	130,532	116,467	124,105	118,685	140,642	166,485
Cebu [3]	7,828	8,793								
Samoa, Apia [5]	95	178	381	226						
Singapore, Singapore	48,342	46,517	53,244	68,101	73,674	75,056	62,584	49,345	22,838	22,701
Solomon Islands, Honiara [3]	254	183								

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East Asia and Pacific (EAP)–Continued										
Thailand, Bangkok	46,042	52,704	62,028	71,952	72,707	65,355	33,172	46,630	59,792	57,389
Chiang Mai	1,245	1,389	1,840	1,564	2,352	2,052	1,398	1,297	1,710	1,858
Vietnam, Hanoi [11]				1,741	3,672	4,505	5,070	4,998	3,315	2,772
Ho Chi Minh City [12]								257	7,559	15,297
Taipei [13]	225,725	255,336	277,008	341,306	359,685	325,924	252,235	261,689	271,024	235,526
East Asia and Pacific Total	**1,448,341**	**1,495,571**	**1,585,046**	**1,857,527**	**2,076,669**	**1,908,226**	**1,438,490**	**1,443,845**	**1,635,618**	**1,616,053**
Europe (EUR)										
Albania, Tirana [14]	240	2,358	2,295	3,440	4,093	1,712	2,694	799	3,934	5,745
Armenia, Yerevan [6]		3,094	4,457	6,416	4,196	4,970	5,133	11,989	12,084	10,748
Austria, Vienna	12,761	9,679	9,114	11,951	11,650	11,702	11,300	11,839	11,045	10,107
Azerbaijan, Baku [6]		337	1,004	1,718	1,436	1,432	1,679	2,365	2,481	2,353
Belarus, Minsk [14]	93	688	3,519	5,261	4,634	5,103	5,561	7,976	7,989	7,108
Belgium, Brussels	14,581	11,600	10,172	10,123	10,670	10,620	10,802	11,456	11,432	9,522
Antwerp [15]	1,898									
Bermuda, Hamilton	2,446	2,424	2,870	2,714	1,814	2,573	2,024	1,559	1,357	1,271
Bosnia and Herzegovina, Sarajevo [16]							39	4,148	6,407	6,821
Bulgaria, Sofia	6,550	10,366	12,298	11,385	12,048	10,807	13,963	16,570	17,231	20,095
Croatia, Zagreb	5,568	11,701	12,801	13,930	14,847	15,066	16,366	15,675	16,570	16,136
Cyprus, Nicosia	6,622	6,770	6,600	7,077	8,113	8,255	8,129	8,747	9,258	8,590
Czech Republic, Prague	29,412	30,185	30,228	39,585	44,859	46,101	48,982	44,153	42,752	40,141
Denmark, Copenhagen	18,060	19,492	20,940	23,744	17,319	12,600	12,029	12,234	11,702	10,264
Estonia, Tallinn [14]	2,326	3,555	3,656	4,564	4,669	5,457	5,451	6,540	6,801	6,713
Finland, Helsinki	7,135	6,223	6,567	6,792	7,060	6,223	6,522	6,655	6,368	6,072
France, Paris	50,409	45,018	43,949	45,424	54,819	48,799	49,068	52,019	60,104	63,098
Bordeaux [9]	3,921	2,856	3,045	2,913	507					
Lyon [15]	3,833									
Marseille [17]	6,157	4,710	4,565	5,010	5,330	5,874	6,844	7,929		
Georgia, Tbilisi [6]		254	1,700	2,301	3,120	3,303	5,405	7,223	3,831	3,681

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Europe (EUR)–Continued										
Germany, Berlin	23,803	17,929	26,030	29,875	29,507	30,377	28,177	29,270	33,576	33,863
Bonn [17]	33,169	24,791	22,589	19,172	17,493	19,620	20,683	8,687		
Frankfurt	37,605	31,057	32,412	44,020	59,617	51,264	47,708	59,242	61,019	58,044
Hamburg [3]	36,479	24,382								
Munich [3]	16,767	15,647	14,825	17,629						
Stuttgart [15]	23,034									
Great Britain and Northern Ireland,										
London	149,427	136,598	149,218	141,541	125,532	116,292	119,208	124,553	134,942	135,153
Belfast	8,523	7,619	6,655	3,379	2,511	2,660	2,629	2,716	3,276	3,120
Greece, Athens	41,171	41,187	45,784	45,522	44,305	42,768	39,180	40,806	41,794	38,540
Thessaloniki [3, 14]	1,023	1,785								
Hungary, Budapest	26,637	33,281	35,473	39,114	45,667	43,335	39,818	42,703	51,004	43,923
Iceland, Reykjavik	2,836	3,166	2,871	2,833	3,023	2,152	2,482	2,014	1,887	1,970
Ireland, Dublin	58,981	66,697	75,171	37,798	12,803	13,232	15,912	17,953	19,295	20,610
Italy, Rome	11,152	9,441	10,804	12,939	12,061	9,964	9,374	10,442	12,945	9,641
Florence [5, 18]	13	6	16	2						
Milan	12,047	10,714	11,930	12,336	13,477	13,462	15,901	15,686	14,023	18,694
Naples	4,701	4,173	4,004	4,664	3,850	2,500	3,190	3,285	3,102	2,695
Kazakhstan, Almaty [6]		2,312	4,428	5,220	5,781	3,575	4,423	4,435	5,002	5,300
Kyrgyzstan, Bishkek [6]		280	835	1,089	1,272	1,403	1,6333	1,493	1,708	1,563
Latvia, Riga [14]	2,584	4,938	5,876	6,719	8,055	7,467	8,207	9,064	10,788	10,282
Lithuania, Vilnius [14]	2,471	3,423	4,904	6,369	7,352	6,619	6,636	6,488	13,592	19,891
Luxembourg, Luxembourg	1,768	1,752	1,599	1,512	1,527	1,325	1,399	1,551	1,490	1,406
Macedonia, The Former Yugoslav										
Republic of, Skopje [19]					3,303	3,757	4,367	5,821	5,771	6,084
Malta, Valletta	2,738	3,310	3,413	4,054	5,179	5,230	4,952	5,249	5,270	4,703
Moldova, Chisinau [6]		214	1,148	1,560	1,711	1,383	1,527	1,896	2,527	1,887
Netherlands, Amsterdam	35,777	33,343	24,459	26,883	24,867	19,035	19,953	20,316	22,048	21,140
Norway, Oslo	10,452	9,775	10,736	11,448	10,438	8,993	9,404	9,092	8,758	7,977
Poland, Warsaw	30,079	27,759	27,447	44,566	51,108	53,699	55,887	61,705	68,160	70,058
Krakow	13,501	11,219	13,772	14,260	27,288	28,396	29,423	37,805	39,612	33,052
Poznan [8]	11,703	9,789	9,576							

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Europe (EUR)–Continued										
Portugal, Lisbon	32,560	35,698	31,426	30,572	32,148	31,276	32,214	31,459	5,437	5,117
Ponta Delgada	3,897	4,556	4,221	4,501	4,119	4,882	4,243	4,295	425	321
Romania, Bucharest	13,213	13,145	16,319	18,101	24,656	20,751	22,322	21,493	23,275	29,795
Russia, Moscow	101,944	82,660	89,138	100,947	97,140	88,729	99,668	71,794	67,612	66,402
St. Petersburg	16,044	14,485	12,822	13,582	13,957	12,326	14,830	13,530	13,437	13,124
Vladivostok [6]		4,266	8,883	12,000	17,798	12,265	10,912	8,115	5,017	4,175
Yekaterinburg [19]					4,839	6,411	6,313	4,832	3,892	3,960
Slovakia, Bratislava [14]	6,195	10,507	14,517	14,141	15,448	13,831	13,633	13,229	15,239	18,180
Slovenia, Ljubljana [6]		4,681	7,001	9,466	10,179	10,710	2,284	2,024	1,868	1,764
Spain, Madrid	42,492	32,174	28,698	29,686	25,767	22,217	22,247	24,230	24,653	24,378
Barcelona [15]	393									
Sweden, Stockholm	34,245	30,312	22,347	21,340	20,715	20,080	20,324	19,524	19,485	17,340
Switzerland, Bern	16,113	13,864	13,348	14,115	26,509	27,074	30,043	30,069	29,060	26,715
Zurich [9]	20,270	15,344	16,536	17,945	4,049					
Tajikistan, Dushanbe [1, 20]			401	388	423	250	51			
Turkey, Ankara	11,245	12,144	13,162	13,260	14,720	18,185	22,194	25,046	29,475	26,765
Istanbul	17,236	18,441	19,370	20,749	25,678	31,092	33,918	39,867	46,660	36,541
Turkmenistan, Ashgabat [6]		203	270	465	959	625	525	482	639	752
Ukraine, Kiev [14]	2,671	19,344	23,059	26,875	28,967	19,440	21,158	17,406	21,542	22,957
Uzbekistan, Tashkent [6]		898	1,884	2,692	3,674	3,759	3,933	5,190	6,675	6,155
Yugoslavia, Belgrade	13,695	10,530	10,401	12,179	13,164	13,254	11,978	5,500	-	-
Europe Total	**1,102,666**	**1,031,149**	**1,059,558**	**1,101,856**	**1,113,820**	**1,046,262**	**1,076,854**	**1,090,233**	**1,107,326**	**1,082,502**
Near East (NEA)										
Algeria, Algiers	3,106	3,073	3,933	2,133	1,464	2,091	2,631	2,935	3,207	3,909
Oran [3]	244	-								
Bahrain, Manama	4,104	4,925	7,076	6,994	6,215	4,606	4,305	4,304	4,983	5,116
Egypt, Cairo	18,776	20,371	27,894	28,246	33,218	36,345	37,226	39,612	45,591	47,366
Alexandria [3]	6,112	6,652								
Israel, Tel Aviv	81,953	80,737	89,370	99,418	109,076	114,172	113,368	115,086	128,720	132,202

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Near East (NEA)–Continued										
Jerusalem	11,135	12,189	13,055	15,165	16,760	17,283	16,875	16,104	16,478	19,854
Jordan, Amman	9,974	11,934	13,613	14,447	15,845	10,364	11,098	14,066	16,314	19,282
Kuwait, Kuwait	20,215	23,782	22,256	21,450	20,579	18,935	23,285	20,313	17,583	16,894
Lebanon, Beirut [21]	214	489	8,675	4,579	3,708	4,640	4,751	9,243	11,709	14,874
Morocco, Rabat [22]	3,298	3,621	3,082	671	908	381				
Casablanca	3,937	4,698	7,661	10,244	12,495	12,691	15,645	17,477	15,876	15,003
Oman, Muscat	3,564	3,452	3,617	3,863	4,253	3,824	4,359	5,276	5,136	4,721
Qatar, Doha	4,569	4,805	4,022	4,286	5,298	5,803	5,519	4,770	5,754	5,881
Saudi Arabia, Jeddah	26,382	28,168	28,370	27,207	23,603	25,230	24,476	27,387	29,301	24,587
Dhahran [3]	10,465	13,243								
Riyadh	28,802	30,585	40,805	38,867	37,951	38,320	40,552	45,423	49,298	45,410
Syria, Damascus	14,032	12,748	12,162	9,164	10,158	11,241	11,467	12,359	16,144	15,933
Tunisia, Tunis	2,824	2,809	2,993	3,991	5,437	7,611	7,775	9,074	11,169	5,850
United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi	6,587	8,649	10,171	12,535	14,167	12,974	15,086	16,952	20,369	20,654
Dubai	10,076	10,422	12,404	12,809	13,439	15,128	16,465	20,147	17,913	22,270
Yemen, Sanaa	3,239	2,513	1,831	3,099	2,524	2,503	2,158	2,352	2,697	1,627
Near East Total	**273,608**	**289,865**	**312,990**	**319,168**	**337,098**	**344,142**	**357,041**	**382,880**	**418,242**	**421,433**
South Asia (SA)										
Bangladesh, Dhaka	10,619	14,330	14,821	14,987	15,707	10,147	11,286	12,609	12,618	13,458
India, New Delhi	29,768	25,866	28,715	34,579	52,237	58,489	67,188	67,565	81,689	74,863
Calcutta	7,565	6,365	6,083	6,766	8,764	10,646	12,515	13,498	16,970	17,289
Chennai	27,257	23,212	25,107	31,864	36,857	59,517	78,968	95,473	123,089	137,556
Mumbai	49,077	37,841	36,987	44,492	61,664	77,923	89,002	94,617	105,423	102,249
Nepal, Kathmandu	2,431	2,283	2,267	2,783	4,159	4,960	6,092	4,940	5,370	5,967
Pakistan, Islamabad	5,731	5,285	6,437	8,736	9,942	20,731	31,016	32,606	69,550	53,482
Karachi [5]	23,030	21,845	21,798	14,648						
Lahore [22]	7,851	6,547	6,454	14,946	17,022	15,697				
Peshawar [15]	476									
Sri Lanka, Colombo	4,413	4,847	5,285	5,650	5,995	5,944	7,780	8,643	9,544	7,609

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South Asia (SA)–Continued										
South Asia Total	**168,218**	**148,421**	**153,954**	**179,451**	**212,347**	**264,054**	**303,847**	**329,951**	**424,253**	**412,473**
Western Hemisphere (WHA)										
Antigua and Barbuda, St. Johns [15]	10,794									
Argentina, Buenos Aires	174,374	154,388	163,858	150,439	111,117	13,544	14,223	15,678	16,000	17,115
Bahamas, Nassau	29,958	25,914	24,284	42,377	23,937	22,693	25,018	32,642	24,742	23,558
Barbados, Bridgetown	35,148	46,514	33,488	31,149	29,677	34,436	39,614	46,638	36,860	27,771
Belize, Belize City	8,961	9,989	10,719	10,629	9,147	7,622	7,468	10,207	12,031	10,816
Bolivia, La Paz	14,818	11,980	12,957	11,607	9,951	12,199	13,929	20,270	34,491	16,021
Brazil, Brasilia	19,197	24,212	25,989	43,196	54,606	49,523	49,114	33,387	28,727	22,706
Porto Alegre [9]	16,704	21,326	27,332	43,693	23,440					
Recife	14,384	15,870	19,488	42,233	48,706	40,026	21,530	14,023	15,514	16,262
Rio de Janeiro	89,210	103,433	114,597	171,412	206,653	177,495	159,067	100,589	83,334	80,827
Sao Paulo	119,177	136,359	148,037	223,832	297,814	303,789	262,806	161,014	127,895	113,934
Canada, Ottawa	13,648	13,742	11,549	9,918	8,573	6,451	6,495	6,801	5,968	6,907
Calgary	16,722	18,332	15,741	11,989	9,283	9,068	7,303	6,856	5,877	4,754
Halifax	2,618	2,380	2,302	1,985	2,325	1,734	1,777	1,896	2,034	2,089
Montreal	47,415	48,871	42,137	30,510	25,479	20,379	14,334	16,858	19,085	17,026
Quebec	3,775	3,184	3,182	2,619	1,819	2,181	2,096	2,469	2,485	736
Toronto	93,597	84,346	54,844	48,107	51,635	46,008	41,709	42,080	48,052	47,473
Vancouver	41,260	33,422	37,801	37,615	39,439	35,538	29,443	27,235	29,693	27,576
Chile, Santiago	57,566	51,687	47,997	62,031	56,926	54,450	53,978	54,532	65,523	63,143
Colombia, Bogota	98,574	114,294	120,733	127,108	128,302	171,203	231,145	274,299	186,858	186,629
Barranquilla [8]	17,033	15,519	9,590							
Costa Rica, San Jose	48,718	52,989	58,240	57,584	51,711	52,803	58,257	56,713	59,725	48,806
Cuba, Havana	29,970	27,304	18,579	8,815	6,116	5,363	8,078	6,109	41,179	24,686
Dominican Republic, Santo Domingo	46,047	60,716	81,053	83,180	70,790	57,663	60,746	67,802	49,053	51,864
Ecuador, Quito	24,224	25,567	21,443	20,356	23,814	33,738	35,420	24,306	23,220	35,734
Guayaquil	27,928	20,556	20,141	19,683	22,584	27,998	31,090	20,083	14,674	33,744
El Salvador, San Salvador	32,390	43,017	27,482	31,170	33,167	37,249	55,177	66,323	72,107	96,046
Guatemala, Guatemala City	35,284	44,936	51,590	39,566	40,929	46,179	55,362	64,369	64,983	71,902

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Western Hemisphere (WHA)–Continued										
Guyana, Georgetown	5,101	4,870	6,922	9,593	11,526	7,532	6,650	5,687	4,480	11,256
Haiti, Port-au-Prince	247	5,460	17,107	31,451	17,614	10,861	14,976	19,897	21,660	19,744
Honduras, Tegucigalpa	27,713	27,200	22,070	18,365	21,472	23,700	31,347	30,084	36,104	34,511
Jamaica, Kingston	34,991	32,626	46,594	78,570	51,030	37,950	49,373	72,363	83,124	71,718
Mexico, Mexico City	235,287	207,677	248,408	254,406	203,506	218,058	244,798	233,918	266,672	335,225
Ciudad Juarez	30,590	35,176	50,381	56,822	36,661	27,057	126,142	285,613	272,670	336,290
Guadalajara	64,529	59,657	60,619	60,971	51,736	58,754	64,777	85,984	118,839	171,510
Hermosillo	50,888	48,884	51,134	47,774	37,989	40,058	48,868	51,383	113,152	121,947
Matamoros	40,504	28,979	25,526	24,038	17,457	18,550	26,969	45,626	102,805	193,026
Mazatlan [15]	9,075									
Merida	16,792	16,601	17,993	13,824	11,601	12,770	16,443	21,760	17,189	22,384
Monterrey	146,383	146,953	163,467	156,032	111,636	128,525	151,091	179,418	253,275	307,645
Nogales [12]								28,106	97,413	144,916
Nuevo Laredo [12 15]	3,870							55,187	219,006	279,833
Tijuana [23]	50,669	58,699	59,615	73,076	51,291	50,853	69,541	133,318	318,316	330,136
Netherlands Antilles, Curacao [3]	8,992	8,892								
Nicaragua, Managua	23,150	24,032	20,849	15,509	12,336	18,344	18,077	14,757	12,195	13,067
Panama, Panama City	23,244	24,672	24,477	22,949	24,357	22,152	20,577	24,014	25,271	23,193
Paraguay, Asuncion	8,260	8,587	8,133	10,179	9,118	7,714	7,720	7,824	7,715	7,553
Peru, Lima	52,851	72,202	90,327	42,848	50,140	51,455	50,488	57,171	76,370	102,531
Suriname, Paramaribo	9,560	3,387	2,503	6,171	3,747	3,527	3,351	2,439	2,538	2,313
Trinidad and Tobago, Port of Spain	22,001	25,682	51,164	60,034	48,865	43,709	44,548	45,751	59,165	54,410
Uruguay, Montevideo	13,678	15,191	16,853	21,552	20,896	22,521	21,436	15,896	2,463	2,646
Venezuela, Caracas	133,089	134,515	126,111	174,927	121,740	89,447	108,559	120,797	117,420	130,083
Maracaibo [8]	29,135	30,623	12,950							
Western Hemisphere Total	**2,210,093**	**2,231,412**	**2,328,356**	**2,541,894**	**2,302,658**	**2,162,869**	**2,410,910**	**2,710,172**	**3,297,952**	**3,764,062**
Nonimmigrant Visas issued in the Department	34,024	36,169	32,300	33,688	31,230	39,739	37,998	43,720	49,237	61,140
Nonimmigrant Visas issued at the U.S. Mission to the United Nations [19]					1,611	4,383	5,125	5,319	5,755	5,661

Table XIX
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Issuing Office (Continued)
(Including Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

Issuing Office	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Grand Total	**5,368,437**	**5,369,094**	**5,610,953**	**6,181,822**	**6,237,870**	**5,942,061**	**5,814,153**	**6,192,478**	**7,141,636**	**7,588,778**

[1] Visa services began in Fiscal Year 1994.

[2] Emergency visa services were provided in Fiscal Years 1988 through 1993.

[3] Visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1993.

[4] Visa services were suspended in Fiscal Year 1997 and have not subsequently been resumed.

[5] Visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1995.

[6] Visa services began in Fiscal Year 1993.

[7] Visa services were suspended in Fiscal Year 1998 and have not subsequently been resumed.

[8] Visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1994.

[9] Visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1996.

[10] Visa services at Embassy Khartoum were suspended on February 5, 1996 and have not subsequently been resumed. Khartoum's visa services are being handled through Embassy Cairo.

[11] Visa services began in Fiscal Year 1995.

[12] Visa services began in Fiscal Year 1999.

[13] The Taipei office of the American Institute in Taiwan, although an unofficial instrumentality, has been authorized to process visa applications for residents of Taiwan.

[14] Visa services began in Fiscal Year 1992.

[15] Visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1992.

[16] Visa services began in Fiscal Year 1998.

[17] Visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1999.

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Table XIX
Nonimmigrant Visas Issued by Issuing Office (Continued)
(Including Border Crossing Cards)
Fiscal Years 1992 – 2001

[18] Visa services ceased at Florence in Fiscal Year 1991 for all applicants except residents of San Marino.

[19] Visa services began in Fiscal Year 1996.

[20] Visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1998.

[21] Regular visa services have been suspended since Fiscal Year 1985.

[22] Visa services ceased in Fiscal Year 1997

[23] Includes combination B-1/B-2 visitor visa. ier Crossing Card issuances processed at the Mexicali Temporary Processing Facility beginning in Fiscal Year 2000, and at the Tijuana Temporary Processing Facility beginning in Fiscal Year 1999.

Table XX
Immigrant and Nonimmigrant Visa Ineligibilities
(by Grounds for Refusal Under the Immigration and Nationality Act)
Fiscal Year 2001

Grounds for Refusal Under the Immigration and Nationality Act		Immigrant		Nonimmigrant	
		Ineligibility Finding [1]	Ineligibility Overcome [2]	Ineligibility Finding [1]	Ineligibility Overcome [2]
Section					
212(a)(1)(A)(i)	Communicable Disease	733	147	202	53
212(a)(1)(A)(ii)	Immigrant Lacking Required Vaccinations	29	16	[3]	[3]
212(a)(1)(A)(iii)	Physical or Mental Disorder	81	59	28	4
212(a)(1)(A)(iv)	Drug Abuser or Addict	525	9	116	7
212(a)(2)(A)(i)(I)	Crime Involving Moral Turpitude	457	206	2,292	524
212(a)(2)(A)(i)(II)	Controlled Substance Violators	156	25	1,344	393
212(a)(2)(B)	Multiple Criminal Convictions	37	6	146	29
212(a)(2)(C)	Controlled Substance Traffickers	117	0	1,336	50
212(a)(2)(D)(i)	Prostitution (Within 10 Years)	8	4	37	11
212(a)(2)(D)(ii)	Procuring (Within 10 Years)	2	1	10	0
212(a)(2)(D)(iii)	Unlawful Commercialized Vice	0	0	1	0
212(a)(2)(E)	Certain Aliens Involved In Serious Criminal Activity Who Have Asserted Immunity From Prosecution	1	0	2	0
212(a)(2)(G)	Foreign Government Officials Who Have Engaged in Violations of Religious Freedom	0	0	0	0
212(a)(2)(H)	Significant Traffickers in Persons	0	0	0	0
212(a)(3)(A)(i)	Espionage, Sabotage, Technology Transfer	1	0	18	1
212(a)(3)(A)(ii)	Other Unlawful Activity	3	0	94	4
212(a)(3)(A)(iii)	Activity to Overthrow U.S. Government	1	0	0	0
212(a)(3)(B)	Terrorist Activities	1	0	83	0
212(a)(3)(C)	Foreign Policy	0	0	3	0
212(a)(3)(D)	Immigrant Membership in Totalitarian Party	14	4	[3]	[3]
212(a)(3)(E)(i)	Participation in Nazi Persecutions	0	0	4	0
212(a)(3)(E)(ii)	Participation in Genocide	0	0	0	0
212(a)(4)	Public Charge	27,580	21,689	1,182	210
212(a)(5)(A)	Labor Certification	9,217	322	[3]	[3]
212(a)(5)(B)	Unqualified Physicians	26	0	[3]	[3]
212(a)(5)(C)	Uncertified Foreign Health-Care Workers	3	0	3	0
212(a)(6)(B)	Failure to Attend Removal Proceedings	13	0	3	2
212(a)(6)(C)(i)	Misrepresentation	2,570	593	14,364	234
212(a)(6)(C)(ii)	False Claim to U.S. Citizenship	177	1	625	2
212(a)(6)(E)	Smugglers of Aliens	405	22	2,112	21
212(a)(6)(F)	Subject of Civil Penalty (Under INA 274C)	1	0	3	0
212(a)(6)(G)	Student Visa Abusers	1	0	42	3
212(a)(7)(B)	Nonimmigrant Documentation Requirement	[4]	[4]	1,171	845
212(a)(8)(A)	Ineligible for Citizenship: In General	2	0	[3]	[3]
212(a)(8)(B)	Draft Evaders	0	0	13	3
212(a)(9)(A)(i)	Ordered Removed Upon Arrival	395	144	865	9
212(a)(9)(A)(i)	Ordered Removed Upon Arrival – Multiple Removals	15	11	106	0
212(a)(9)(A)(i)	Ordered Removed Upon Arrival – Convicted of Aggravated Felony	24	1	33	0

Table XX
Immigrant and Nonimmigrant Visa Ineligibilities (Continued)
(by Grounds for Refusal Under the Immigration and Nationality Act)
Fiscal Year 2001

Grounds for Refusal Under the Immigration and Nationality Act		Immigrant		Nonimmigrant	
		Ineligibility Finding [1]	Ineligibility Overcome [2]	Ineligibility Finding [1]	Ineligibility Overcome [2]
Section					
212(a)(9)(A)(ii)	Ordered Removed or Departed While Removal Order Outstanding	229	90	364	9
212(a)(9)(A)(ii)	Ordered Removed or Departed While Removal Order Outstanding – Multiple Removals	33	42	93	2
212(a)(9)(A)(ii)	Ordered Removed or Departed While Removal Order Outstanding – Convicted of Aggravated Felony	36	3	68	1
212(a)(9)(B)(i)(I)	Unlawfully Present 181–364 Days (Within 3 Years)	537	818	583	32
212(a)(9)(B)(i)(II)	Unlawfully Present 365 or More Days (Within 10 Years)	4,847	5,339	1,406	62
212(a)(9)(C)	Unlawfully Present After Previous Immigration Violations	212	0	21	1
212(a)(10)(A)	Practicing Polygamists	14	3	[3]	[3]
212(a)(10)(C)(i)	International Child Abduction	3	0	4	0
212(a)(10)(C)(ii)	Aliens Supporting Abductors and Relatives of Abductors	0	0	1	0
212(a)(10)(D)	Unlawful Voters	0	0	5	0
212(a)(10)(E)	Former U.S. Citizens Who Renounced Citizenship to Avoid Taxation	0	0	0	0
212(e)	Foreign Residence Requirement: Former Exchange Visitor	50	45	75	28
212(f)	Presidential Proclamation Suspending the Entry of Any Class of Aliens	0	0	0	0
214(b)	Failure to Establish Entitlement to Nonimmigrant Status	[4]	[4]	2,276,611	69,319
221(g)	Applications Do Not Comply With the Provisions of the Immigration and Nationality Act or Regulations Issued Pursuant Thereto	183,480	134,289	578,784	299,309
222(g)	Alien in Illegal Status Required to Apply for New Nonimmigrant Visa in Country of Nationality	[4]	[4]	534	16
	Total Grounds of Ineligibility:	**232,036**	**163,889**	**2,884,787**	**371,184**
	Number of Applications: [1]	**217,402**	**143,477**	**2,879,474**	**370,859**

The figures at the end of this table show totals of **applications** refused and refusals overcome. The total of applications refused does not necessarily reflect the number of persons refused during the year. One applicant can apply and be found ineligible more than one time in a fiscal year.

Table XX
Immigrant and Nonimmigrant Visa Ineligibilities (Continued)
(by Grounds for Refusal Under the Immigration and Nationality Act)
Fiscal Year 2001

At some posts with automated visa systems, the data base does not reflect complete nonimmigrant visa refusals **overcome** statistics. Therefore, the nonimmigrant visa refusals **overcome** figures may be somewhat understated.

[1] The total grounds of ineligibility may exceed the number of applications refused because one applicant may be found ineligible under more than one section of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

[2] The total ineligibilities overcome may not necessarily represent the same visa applicants found ineligible and recorded in the total of ineligibility findings. A visa may be refused in one fiscal year and the refusal overcome in a subsequent fiscal year. Each action will be separately recorded as part of the appropriate statistical report for the year in which it occurred. A refusal can be overcome by evidence that the ineligibility does not apply, by approval of a waiver, or by other relief as provided by law.

[3] N/A - Not applicable because the cited ground of ineligibility does not apply to nonimmigrants.

[4] N/A - Not applicable because the cited ground of ineligibility does not apply to immigrants.

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Appendix A

Provisions of the Law and Numerical Limitations on Immigrant Visas

Some form of numerical limitation has been imposed on immigration into the United States since 1921, although certain classes of immigrants have traditionally been able to obtain visas outside those limitations. The Immigration Act of 1990 (Pub. L. 101–649) modified this concept by establishing an overall limit within which immediate relatives (IR's) and certain special immigrants would continue exempt from the requirement of an available visa number, but the IR total would be deducted from the overall ceiling for the calculation of the family-sponsored preference ceiling during the following year. Outlined below are the basic elements of the system applicable at present; unless otherwise stated, the section of law cited refers to the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA), as amended.

I. Classes not subject to the numerical limitations

A. Immediate Relatives

(1) Spouse and children of U.S. citizens and parents of citizens at least 21 years of age (Sec. 201(b)(2)(A)(i)).

(2) Certain surviving spouses of deceased U.S. citizens, and their children (Sec. 201(b)(2)(A)(i)).

B. Special Immigrants

(1) Returning residents (Secs. 101(a)(27)(A) and 201(b)(1)(A)).

(2) Certain former U.S. citizens (Secs. 101(a)(27)(B) and 201(b)(1)(A)).

C. Others

(1) Child born abroad subsequent to issuance of immediate relative visa to parent (Secs. 211(a) and 201(b)(2)(A)(ii)).

(2) Child born to a lawful permanent resident temporarily abroad (Secs. 211(a) and 201(b)(2)(B)).

(3) Vietnam Amerasians, a category created by Sec. 584 of the Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 1988 (as contained in Sec. 101(e) of Pub. L. 100–202, as amended) for Vietnam Amerasians and their immediate family members. Initially time-limited to March 1990, the provision was made permanent by Pub. L. 101–513.

II. Numerically limited classes

A. Numerical Limits under Secs. 201, 202, and 203

As a selective mechanism to enable distribution of the numbers to the immigrants desired, a preference system commingling certain classes of relatives and needed workers has long existed. The Immigration Act of 1990 divided such preference classes into two broad categories: family-sponsored immigrants and employment-based immigrants, with a separate numerical limitation for each category.

(1) Worldwide Limits

(a) Family-Sponsored Preference Limitation:

The overall ceiling for relatives is 480,000, from which the previous year's total of immediate relatives and other family classes which are exempt from the numerical ceiling (see I.A. and I.C.(1) and (2) above) are deducted to determine the level of family-based preference immigration. Beginning with FY–1999, aliens described in Sec. 201(c)(4) who were paroled into the United States under Sec. 212(d)(5) in the second preceding fiscal year are also deducted from the overall ceiling. Although the difference could be greater or less than 226,000, that figure is established as a minimum for the family-sponsored preference immigrant limitation.

Specifically, if such family-related numerically-exempt immigrants and parolees are fewer than 254,000, the family-sponsored preferences will be entitled to more than 226,000 in the following fiscal year. On the other hand, if such family-related numerically-exempt immigrants and parolees exceed 254,000, the family-sponsored preferences are still provided at least 226,000 numbers by virtue of the minimum annual limit assured by Sec. 201(c).

(b) Employment-Based Preference Limitation:
The overall ceiling for this category is 140,000. The term "employment-based" is broadly interpreted to encompass most non-family immigration, whether or not the immigrant is actually destined to employment in the United States.

(c) Carry-Over of Unused Numbers:
Certain preference immigrant numbers which are unused during a fiscal year are added to the worldwide levels of family-sponsored and employment-based preference immigrants for the following fiscal year (Sec. 201(c) and Sec. 201(d)). Unused **family** numbers from the previous fiscal year are added to the **employment** preference limit and vice versa.

See Appendix D regarding the recapture of employment-based preference numbers unused in Fiscal Years 1999 and 2000, under the terms of the American Competitiveness in the Twenty-First Century Act (Title I of Pub. L. 106–313 enacted October 17, 2000).

(2) Per-Country Limits
In addition to the overall limits, the INA contains a per-country ceiling to preclude preemption of the annual numbers by one or more foreign states of heavy emigration. Under the formula in Sec. 202(a), the per-country limit is 7% of the combined visa total available to family-sponsored and employment-based preference immigrants, i.e., at least 25,620. The dependent area limit is set at 2%, or a minimum of 7,320.

Sec. 202(a)(5)(A) (which was added by Sec. 104 of Pub. L. 106–313) provides that if the total of employment-based visa numbers available for a calendar quarter is greater than the number of qualified applicants who may otherwise be issued such visa numbers, the per-country limitation on employment-based visa numbers will be lifted for the remainder of that quarter.

For the permanent diversity classification which became effective in FY–1995, there is a separate 7% per-country visa limit. (See II.B.(3) below.)

B. Preference classes as set forth in Sec. 203
Class limitations are expressed in absolute numbers for the family-sponsored immigrants and in percentages of the annual limitation for the employment-based category specified in Sec. 201.

(1) Family-sponsored:

(a) First preference: Unmarried sons and/or daughters (i.e., offspring aged 21 or older) of U.S. citizens: not more than 23,400, plus any numbers unused by the fourth preference (Sec. 203(a)(1)).

(b) Second preference: (A) Spouses and children of lawful permanent residents, and (B) unmarried sons and/or daughters of lawful permanent residents: not more than 114,200, plus the number (if any) by which the worldwide family preference level exceeds 226,000, plus any numbers not required for the first preference; of which 77% are designated for sub-category (A) (Sec. 203(a)(2)).

Sec. 202(a)(4)(A) provides that of the visa numbers made available for sub-category (A), 75% are to be issued without regard to the per-country limit, i.e., to applicants with the earliest priority date regardless of their country of chargeability.

(c) Third preference: Married sons and daughters of U.S. citizens: not more than 23,400, plus any numbers not required by the first and second preferences (Sec. 203(a)(3)).

(d) Fourth preference: Siblings of U.S. citizens who are at least 21 years of age: not more than 65,000, plus any numbers not required by the first three classes (Sec. 203(a)(4)).

(2) Employment-based:

(a) First preference: Priority workers (persons with extraordinary ability, outstanding professors and researchers, and certain multinational executives and managers): not more than 28.6% of the employment-based total, plus any visa numbers not required by the fourth and fifth preferences (Sec. 203(b)(1)).

(b) Second preference: Members of the professions with advanced degrees and persons of exceptional ability: not more than 28.6%, plus any numbers unused by the first preference (Sec. 203(b)(2)).

(c) Third preference: Skilled workers, professionals (without advanced degrees), and other (i.e., unskilled) workers: not more than 28.6%, plus any numbers unused by the first two preferences, of which not more than 10,000 numbers are available for unskilled workers (Sec. 203(b)(3)).

(d) Fourth preference: Special immigrants (other than returning residents and certain former U.S. citizens – see I.B. above): not more than 7.1%, of which not more than 5,000 numbers may be

allocated for certain religious workers. There is no "fall-down" of numbers from higher classes into this class; the limit is absolute. The class includes certain international broadcasters, ministers of religion, certain employees/retirees of the U.S. Government abroad, Panama Canal and/or Zone employees, certain doctors, certain international organizations-related and NATO–6 related aliens, aliens dependent on a juvenile court, and certain members of the U.S. Armed Forces recruited abroad. There is also a time-limited inclusion of certain religious workers other than ministers. (Secs. 101(a)(27)(C) through (M) and Sec. 203(b)(4).)

Under the terms of the Armed Forces Immigration Adjustment Act of 1991 (Pub. L. 102–110 enacted October 1, 1991), immigrant visas made available to the special immigrant class for certain Armed Forces members under Sec. 101(a)(27)(K) are not counted against the numerical limitation in the year involved. In the succeeding fiscal year, the Employment Preference limits for the First, Second, and Third Preferences are each reduced by one-third the number of such visas made available, and the per-country level under Sec. 202(a) is reduced by the number of such visas made available to natives of a foreign state. (Sec. 203(b)(6).)

(e) **Fifth preference:** Employment creators, i.e., aliens whose investments will create employment for at least 10 U.S. citizens and/or lawful permanent residents: not more than 7.1%, of which not less than 3,000 are reserved for investors in a targeted rural or high-unemployment area; there is no "fall-down" of numbers from the higher classes (Sec. 203(b)(5)). Sec. 610 of the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 1993 (Pub. L. 102–395 enacted October 6, 1992), as amended by Sec. 116 of the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 1998 (Pub. L. 105–119 enacted November 26, 1997) and Sec. 402 of the Visa Waiver Permanent Program Act (Pub. L. 106–396 enacted October 30, 2000), modifies INA 203(b)(5) by creating a 10-year pilot program that sets aside up to 3,000 immigrant visas annually for aliens investing in certain qualifying regional centers in the United States.

(3) **Diversity immigrants:**
This classification became effective as of FY–1995. It is designed to provide immigration opportunities for aliens from foreign states from which immigration levels are low relative to the level from other countries. Applicants for each year's visas are selected at random from the entrants in an annual visa lottery (Sec. 203(c) and Sec. 204(a)(1)(G)). The annual limitation is 55,000. The Nicaraguan Adjustment and Central American Relief Act (NACARA) of 1997 (Pub. L. 105–100 enacted November 19, 1997) provides that, beginning with Fiscal Year 1999, and for as long as necessary, the 55,000 diversity visa numbers available for a fiscal year will be reduced by up to 5,000 annually to offset adjustments under the NACARA program.

III. Related Provisions

A. The applicability of the labor certification requirement (Sec. 212(a)(5)(A)) for immigrants is explicitly restricted to aliens in the employment-based second and third preferences. The Attorney General is authorized to waive the job offer requirement in certain second preference cases, however; the labor certification is also waived, by regulation, in those cases as a matter of practicality.

B. A spouse or child accompanying or following to join a preference immigrant (whether family-sponsored or employment-based) is entitled to the same classification and priority date as the principal alien if not otherwise entitled to an immigrant classification and the immediate issuance of a visa. The spouse or child of a diversity immigrant is entitled to a similar derivative visa status during the year for which the principal is selected in the visa lottery. (Sec. 203(d).)

C. The Marriage Fraud Amendments of 1986 (Pub. L. 89–639, November 10, 1986) established a conditional immigration status for aliens whose entitlement to an immigrant classification derived from a marriage entered into less than 2 years prior to admission. This provision affects not only the spouse of such marriage but also any sons or daughters. The conditionality may be removed only by approval of a petition filed during the 90-day period prior to the second anniversary of acquiring conditional status. (Sec. 216.)

D. An alien may adjust status from nonimmigrant to lawful permanent resident, subject to certain conditions, through the Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS). Unless the adjustment is in a numerically-exempt category, it is charged against all appropriate limitations. (Sec. 245.)

Appendix B

Various Determinations of Numerical Limits on Immigrants Required Under the Terms of the Immigration and Nationality Act

Determination of the Family Preference Numerical Limit for FY–2001

Terms of the Immigration and Nationality Act:

INA 201(c) specifies that the worldwide level of family-sponsored preference immigrants for a fiscal year is equal to:

480,000,	
minus	the number of immigrants described in subparagraphs (A) and (B) of INA 201(b)(2) who, in the previous fiscal year, were issued immigrant visas or who otherwise acquired lawful permanent resident status,[1]
minus	the number of aliens described in INA 201(c)(4), [2]
plus	employment preference immigrant numbers that were unused during the previous fiscal year.

Under INA 201, however, the family-sponsored preference limitation for any fiscal year may not be less than 226,000.

Immediate Relative Immigrant Totals for FY–2000:

Immigrant visa workload reports received by the Department of State from consular posts worldwide show that during FY–2000 a total of 163,610 immediate relative (IR) visas were issued. This total is subject to a net reduction of 22, however, to take account of issued visas returned unused to consular offices and thus "recaptured" under INA 206.

Figures on adjustments of status at local offices of the Immigration and Naturalization Service compiled and provided by INS Headquarters indicate that a total of 188,404 immigrants were granted lawful permanent residence at INS offices in the United States during FY–2000 in the categories for spouses, children, and parents of U.S. citizens; this figure includes persons who acquired permanent residence after having been admitted in nonimmigrant "K" (fiancé(e)) status. Another 10 children accompanying immediate relative parents were admitted under INA 211(a).

INS admission figures record 1,009 children accorded permanent resident status after birth abroad to a permanent resident of the United States.

Employment Preference Number Use for FY–2000:

The employment-based preference limit for FY–2000 was 142,299. A total of 111,166 of these numbers were used for FY–2000 visa issuances or INS adjustments of status and, as required by INA 203(b)(6), an additional 31 were applied to special immigrants who were issued visas or adjusted status during FY–1999 under INA 101(a)(27)(K) [certain U.S. armed forces personnel]. Another 10 were charged for children admitted under INA 211(a) accompanying parents with employment preference visas. There were also 6 employment preference visas returned unused to consular offices; the numbers assigned to these issuances were thus "recaptured" under INA 206. Total unused numbers: 142,299 – (111,166 + 10) – 31 + 6 = 31,098.

Calculation of FY–2001 Family-Sponsored Preference Limitation:

Immediate relative visa issuances during FY–2000:	163,610
(minus net total of "recaptured" FY–2000 IR visas:	– 22)
Immediate relative adjustments of status by INS:	+ 188,404
Children admitted after birth to immediate relative visa holders:	+ 10
Children admitted after birth abroad to lawful permanent residents:	+ 1,009
Immediate Relative etc. Total:	353,011

FY-2001 Worldwide Family-Sponsored Level figure:	480,000
minus IR etc. total calculated above:	-353,011
minus aliens paroled into the United States under Section 212(d)(5) in the second preceding fiscal year (FY-1999):	- n/a [2]
plus unused FY-2000 employment pref. numbers:	+ 31,098
Total	158,087

Since under the law the family-sponsored preference limitation for any fiscal year may not be less than 226,000, the limit for FY-2001 is fixed at: **226,000**

Determination of the Employment Preference Numerical Limit for FY-2001

Terms of the Immigration and Nationality Act:

INA 201(d) specifies that the worldwide level of employment-based preference immigrants for a fiscal year is equal to:

140,000
plus family preference immigrant numbers that were unused during the previous fiscal year.

Family Preference Number Use for FY-2000:

The family-sponsored preference limit for FY-2000 was 294,601. A total of 242,539 numbers were used for visa issuances or INS adjustments of status. Another 18 were charged for children admitted under INA 211(a) accompanying parents with family preference visas. There were also 30 family preference visas returned unused to consular offices; the numbers assigned to these issuances were thus "recaptured" under INA 206 and could be reallocated. Total unused numbers: 294,601 - (242,539 + 18) + 30 = 52,074.

Calculation of FY-2001 Employment-Based Preference Limitation:

Worldwide Employment-Based Level figure:	140,000
plus unused FY-2000 family preference numbers:	+ 52,074
Total:	192,074

For FY-2001, the employment-based preference limit is fixed at: **192,074**

(In accordance with INA 203(b)(6), the 30 special immigrants who were issued visas or adjusted status during FY-2000 under INA 101(a)(27)(K) [certain U.S. armed forces personnel] will be charged against the FY-2001 employment preference limit; each of the first, second, and third preferences will be reduced by 10.)

Determination of Per-Country Limitations for FY-2001

Terms of the Immigration and Nationality Act:

INA 202(a) specifies that the per-country level of family plus employment preference immigrants in any fiscal year may not exceed:

For a foreign state: 7% of the total number of family and employment visas for that fiscal year; and
For a dependent area: 2% of the total number of family and employment visas for that fiscal year.

Calculation of FY-2001 Per-Country Limits:

Worldwide Family-Sponsored FY-2001 limit:	226,000
Worldwide Employment-Based FY-2001 limit:	+192,074
Total:	418,074
Foreign state limit for FY-2001 (7% of 418,074):	**29,265**
Dependent area limit for FY-2001 (2% of 418,074):	**8,361**

In accordance with Section 2(d) of the Chinese Student Protection Act of 1992 (Pub. L. 102-404), the CHINA—mainland born limit for FY-2001 is reduced by 1,000 to 28,265, to compensate for earlier issuances under that legislation. [See also Appendix C.]

Under the terms of INA 203(b)(6), FY-2001 per-country limits must be reduced to compensate for the special immigrants who were issued visas or adjusted status during FY-2000 under INA 101(a)(27)(K) [certain U.S. armed forces personnel]. The following FY-2001 per-country limits will be reduced by the amount specified to compensate for such immigrants: Japan 1; and Philippines 29. Since the Philippines chargeability is subject to the prorating provisions of INA 202(e), the reduction in that per-country limit will be accomplished under the law as follows: Each of the employment first and second preferences will be reduced by 10, and the third preference will be reduced by 9.

[1] The immigrants described in these subparagraphs are 1) immediate relatives, i.e., spouses, children and parents of U.S. citizens, 2) children admitted under INA 211(a) on the basis of prior issuance of an immigrant visa to their accompanying parent who is such immediate relative, and 3) children born to a lawful permanent resident during a temporary visit abroad.

[2] At the time the numerical limits were set, a memorandum from the Immigration and Naturalization Service advised that information on the exact number of parolees was not available. These data would not have had any effect on the determination of the FY-2001 limit, however.

Appendix C

Offset in the Per-Country Numerical Level for China–Mainland Born Immigrant Visas (Per Section 2(d) of Pub. L. 102–404)

The Chinese Student Protection Act of 1992 (CSPA) (Pub. L. 102–404 enacted October 9, 1992) provides a basis for certain People's Republic of China nationals already living in the United States to obtain permanent residence through application to INS. Beneficiaries of this legislation are accorded status within the skilled worker component of the Employment Third preference and are subject to the worldwide Employment Preference annual limit. They are exempted from the INA 202 per-country limit, however. The CSPA requires that beginning with Fiscal Year 1993, the CHINA—mainland born per-country limit must be reduced by 1,000 numbers annually to compensate for cases processed under this legislation.

Employment Third preference immigrant numbers provided to beneficiaries of the CSPA, outside the CHINA—mainland born per-country annual limit:

FY–1993	41,684
FY–1994	8,953
FY–1995	3,536
FY–1996	139
FY–1997	57
FY–1998	3
FY–1999	3
FY–2000	4
FY–2001	0
Total	**54,379**

Unused CHINA—mainland born immigrant numbers under the per-country limit for FY–2001:

FY–2001 Per-country limit	Minus reduction per Sec. 2(d)(1) of Pub. L. 102–404	Minus numbers used	Plus numbers "recaptured" under INA 206	UNUSED numbers
29,265	1,000	31,623	0	0

Offset to the per-country numerical level:

	Reduction of the CHINA—mainland born annual limit	Unused numbers from the CHINA—mainland born annual limit	Offset
FY-1993	1,000	576	1,576
FY-1994	1,000	0	1,000
FY-1995	1,000	4,329	5,329
FY-1996	1,000	3,059	4,059
FY-1997	1,000	4	1,004
FY-1998	1,000	0	1,000
FY-1999	1,000	6,330	7,330
FY-2000	1,000	2,319	3,319
FY-2001	1,000	0	1,000
Total	**9,000**	**16,617**	**25,617**

Numbers remaining for future offset:

As of the end of	Numbers used for CSPA beneficiaries	Total offset for year	Remaining to be offset
FY-1993	41,684	1,576	40,108
FY-1994	8,953	1,000	48,061
FY-1995	3,536	5,329	46,268
FY-1996	139	4,059	42,348
FY-1997	57	1,004	41,401
FY-1998	3	1,000	40,404
FY-1999	3	7,330	33,077
FY-2000	4	3,319	29,762
FY-2001	0	1,000	28,762

Appendix D

Recapture of Employment-Based Preference Immigrant Visa Numbers Unused in Fiscal Years 1999 and 2000 (Per Section 106(d) of Pub. L. 106–313)

In Fiscal Years 1999 and 2000, the annual numerical limits for Employment-Based immigrant visa numbers were not reached. The American Competitiveness in the Twenty-First Century Act (Pub. L. 106–313 enacted October 17, 2000) recaptures those Employment-Based numbers that were available but not used in Fiscal Years 1999 and 2000. Beginning in Fiscal Year 2001, those unused numbers (which totaled 130,107) are made available to applicants in the Employment First, Second, and Third preference categories once the annual Employment-Based numerical limit has been reached. The total of Employment-Based preference numbers available for a fiscal year is thus increased by the total of such numbers remaining in the pool (i.e., 130,107 minus the cumulative total of such numbers actually used for previous fiscal years).

Employment-Based Preference immigrant numbers unused under the annual numerical limit:

Fiscal Year	Employment-Based Preference Limit	Minus Numbers Used	UNUSED Numbers
2001	192,074	186,536	5,538

Numbers provided under Section 106(d) to beneficiaries of Employment First, Second, and Third Preference petitions outside the Employment-Based Preference annual limit, and numbers remaining in the pool for future allocation:

Fiscal Year	Numbers Available under Section 106(d)	Total used for year	Remaining for future use
2001	130,107	0	130,107

Appendix E

Immigrant and Nonimmigrant Visa Symbols

The following symbols were used during Fiscal Year 2001 in issuing visas to immigrants and nonimmigrants proceeding to the United States. Unless otherwise stated, the section of law cited refers to the Immigration and Nationality Act, as amended.

Visa Symbol	Class	Section of Law
	Immigrants	
	Immediate Relatives	
IR-1	Spouse of U.S. citizen	201(b)
IR-2	Child of U.S. citizen	201(b)
IR-3	Orphan adopted abroad by U.S. citizen	201(b)
IR-4	Orphan to be adopted in the United States by U.S. citizen	201(b)
IR-5	Parent of U.S. citizen at least 21 years of age	201(b)
CR-1	Spouse of U.S. citizen (conditional status)	201(b) & 216
CR-2	Child of U.S. citizen (conditional status)	201(b) & 216
IW-1	Certain spouses of deceased U.S. citizens	201(b)
IW-2	Child of IW-1	201(b)
IB-1	Self-petition spouse of U.S. citizen	204(a)(1)(A)(iii)
IB-2	Self-petition child of U.S. citizen	204(a)(1)(A)(iv)
IB-3	Child of IB-1	204(a)(1)(A)(iii)
VI-5	Parent of U.S. citizen who acquired permanent resident status under the Virgin Islands Nonimmigrant Alien Adjustment Act	201(b) & Sec. 2 of the Virgin Islands Nonimmigrant Alien Adjustment Act (Pub. L. 97-271)
	Vietnam Amerasian Immigrants	
AM-1	Vietnam Amerasian principal	584(b)(1)(A), (B) and (C) of the Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act, 1988 (as contained in Sec. 101(e) of Pub. L. 100-202), as amended
AM-2	Spouse/Child of AM-1	
AM-3	Natural mother of AM-1 (and spouse or child of such mother), or person who has acted in effect as the mother, father, or next-of-kin of AM-1 (and spouse or child of such person)	
	Special Immigrants	
SB-1	Returning resident	101(a)(27)(A)
SC-1	Certain persons who lost U.S. citizenship by marriage	101(a)(27)(B) & 324(a)
SC-2	Certain persons who lost U.S. citizenship by serving in foreign armed forces	101(a)(27)(B) & 327
	Family-Sponsored Immigrants	
First Preference		
F11	Unmarried son or daughter of U.S. citizen	203(a)(1)
F12	Child of F11	203(d)
B11	Self-petition unmarried son or daughter of U.S. citizen	204(a)(1)(A)(iv) & 203(a)(1)
B12	Child of B11	203(d)

Visa Symbol	Class	Section of Law
Second Preference (Subject to Country Limitations)		
F21	Spouse of permanent resident	203(a)(2)(A)
F22	Child of permanent resident	203(a)(2)(A)
F23	Child of F21 or F22	203(d)
F24	Unmarried son/daughter of permanent resident	203(a)(2)(B)
F25	Child of F24	203(d)
B21	Self-petition spouse of permanent resident	204(a)(1)(B)(ii)
B22	Self-petition child of permanent resident	204(a)(1)(B)(iii)
B23	Child of B21 or B22	204(a)(1)(B)(ii) & 203(d)
B24	Self-petition unmarried son/daughter of permanent resident	204(a)(1)(B)(iii)
B25	Child of B24	203(d)
Second Preference (Exempt from Country Limitations)		
FX1	Spouse of permanent resident	202(a)(4)(A) & 203(a)(2)(A)
FX2	Child of permanent resident	202(a)(4)(A) & 203(a)(2)(A)
FX3	Child of FX1 or FX2	202(a)(4)(A) & 203(d)
BX1	Self-petition spouse of permanent resident	204(a)(1)(B)(ii)
BX2	Self-petition child of permanent resident	204(a)(1)(B)(iii)
BX3	Child of BX1 or BX2	204(a)(1)(B)(ii) & 203(d)
Third Preference		
F31	Married son or daughter of U.S. citizen	203(a)(3)
F32	Spouse of F31	203(d)
F33	Child of F31	203(d)
B31	Self-petition married son or daughter of U.S. citizen	204(a)(1)(A)(iv) & 203(a)(3)
B32	Spouse of B31	203(d)
B33	Child of B31	203(d)
Fourth Preference		
F41	Brother or sister of U.S. citizen who is at least 21 years of age	203(a)(4)
F42	Spouse of F41	203(d)
F43	Child of F41	203(d)
	Employment-Based Immigrants	
First Preference (Priority Workers)		
E11	Person with extraordinary ability in the sciences, arts, education, business, or athletics	203(b)(1)(A)
E12	Outstanding professor or researcher	203(b)(1)(B)
E13	Multinational executive or manager	203(b)(1)(C)
E14	Spouse of E11, E12, or E13	203(d)
E15	Child of E11, E12, or E13	203(d)
Second Preference (Professionals Holding Advanced Degrees or Persons of Exceptional Ability)		
E21	Professional holding advanced degree or person of exceptional ability in the sciences, arts, or business	203(b)(2)
E22	Spouse of E21	203(d)
E23	Child of E21	203(d)

Visa Symbol	Class	Section of Law
Third Preference (Skilled Workers, Professionals, and Other Workers)		
E31	Skilled worker	203(b)(3)(A)(i)
E32	Professional holding baccalaureate degree	203(b)(3)(A)(ii)
E34	Spouse of E31 or E32	203(d)
E35	Child of E31 or E32	203(d)
EW3	Other workers (subgroup numerical limit)	203(b)(3)(A)(iii)
EW4	Spouse of EW3	203(d)
EW5	Child of EW3	203(d)
Fourth Preference (Certain Special Immigrants)		
BC-1	Certain international broadcasters	101(a)(27)(M) & 203(b)(4)
BC-2	Spouse of BC-1	101(a)(27)(M) & 203(b)(4)
BC-3	Child of BC-1	101(a)(27)(M) & 203(b)(4)
SD-1	Minister of religion	101(a)(27)(C)(ii)(I) & 203(b)(4)
SD-2	Spouse of SD-1	101(a)(27)(C) & 203(b)(4)
SD-3	Child of SD-1	101(a)(27)(C) & 203(b)(4)
SE-1	Certain employees or former employees of the U.S. Government abroad	101(a)(27)(D) & 203(b)(4)
SE-2	Spouse of SE-1	101(a)(27)(D) & 203(b)(4)
SE-3	Child of SE-1	101(a)(27)(D) & 203(b)(4)
SF-1	Certain former employees of the Panama Canal Company or Canal Zone Government	101(a)(27)(E) & 203(b)(4)
SF-2	Spouse or child of SF-1	101(a)(27)(E) & 203(b)(4)
SG-1	Certain former employees of the U.S. Government in the Panama Canal Zone	101(a)(27)(F) & 203(b)(4)
SG-2	Spouse or child of SG-1	101(a)(27)(F) & 203(b)(4)
SH-1	Certain former employees of the Panama Canal Company or Canal Zone Government on April 1, 1979	101(a)(27)(G) & 203(b)(4)
SH-2	Spouse or child of SH-1	101(a)(27)(G) & 203(b)(4)
SJ-2	Spouse or child of SJ-1 (certain foreign medical graduates)	101(a)(27)(H) & 203(b)(4)
SK-1	Certain retired international organization employees	101(a)(27)(I)(iii) & 203(b)(4)
SK-2	Spouse of SK-1	101(a)(27)(I)(iv) & 203(b)(4)
SK-3	Certain unmarried sons or daughters of international organization employees	101(a)(27)(I)(i) & 203(b)(4)
SK-4	Certain surviving spouses of deceased international organization employees	101(a)(27)(I)(ii) & 203(b)(4)
SL-1	Certain juvenile court dependents	101(a)(27)(J) & 203(b)(4)
SM-1	Person recruited outside the United States who has served, or is enlisted to serve, in the U.S. Armed Forces for 12 years (became eligible after October 1, 1991)	101(a)(27)(K) & Sec. 2 of Pub. L. 102-110
SM-2	Spouse of SM-1	101(a)(27)(K) & Sec. 2 of Pub. L. 102-110
SM-3	Child of SM-1	101(a)(27)(K) & Sec. 2 of Pub. L. 102-110
SM-4	Person recruited outside the United States who has served, or is enlisted to serve, in the U.S. Armed Forces for 12 years (eligible as of October 1, 1991)	101(a)(27)(K) & Sec. 2 of Pub. L. 102-110
SM-5	Spouse or child of SM-4	101(a)(27)(K) & Sec. 2 of Pub. L. 102-110
SN-1	Certain retired NATO-6 civilian employees	101(a)(27)(L) & 203(b)(4)
SN-2	Spouse of SN-1	101(a)(27)(L) & 203(b)(4)
SN-3	Certain unmarried sons or daughters of NATO-6 civilian employees	101(a)(27)(L) & 203(b)(4)
SN-4	Certain surviving spouses of deceased NATO-6 civilian employees	101(a)(27)(L) & 203(b)(4)
SR-1	Certain religious workers (subgroup numerical limit)	101(a)(27)(C)(ii)(II) & (III) as amended, & 203(b)(4)

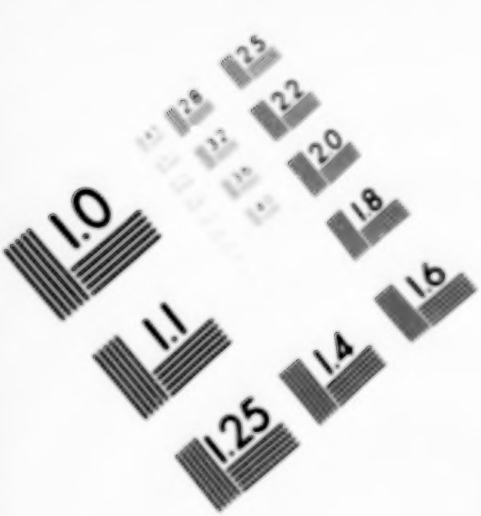
Visa Symbol	Class	Section of Law
SR-2	Spouse of SR-1	101(a)(27)(C) & 203(b)(4)
SR-3	Child of SR-1	101(a)(27)(C) & 203(b)(4)
Fifth Preference (Employment Creation) (Conditional Status)		
C51	Employment creation outside targeted area	203(b)(5)(A)
C52	Spouse of C51	203(d)
C53	Child of C51	203(d)
T51	Employment creation in targeted rural/high unemployment area (subgroup numerical set-aside)	203(b)(5)(B)
T52	Spouse of T51	203(d)
T53	Child of T51	203(d)
R51	Investor pilot program, not in targeted area	203(b)(5) & Sec. 610 of the Departments of Commerce, Justice, and State, the Judiciary, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 1993 (Pub. L. 102-395) as amended
R52	Spouse of R51	
R53	Child of R51	
I51	Investor pilot program, targeted area	
I52	Spouse of I51	
I53	Child of I51	

Other Numerically Limited Categories

Diversity Immigrants		
DV-1	Diversity immigrant	203(c)
DV-2	Spouse of DV-1	203(d)
DV-3	Child of DV-1	203(d)

Visa Symbol	Class	Section of Law
	Nonimmigrants	
A-1	Ambassador, public minister, career diplomat or consular officer, and immediate family	101(a)(15)(A)(i)
A-2	Other foreign government official or employee, and immediate family	101(a)(15)(A)(ii)
A-3	Attendant, servant, or personal employee of A-1 or A-2, and immediate family	101(a)(15)(A)(iii)
B-1	Temporary visitor for business	101(a)(15)(B)
B-2	Temporary visitor for pleasure	101(a)(15)(B)
B-1/B-2	Temporary visitor for business and pleasure	101(a)(15)(B)
C-1	Person in transit	101(a)(15)(C)
C-2	Person in transit to United Nations Headquarters district under Section 11 (3), (4), or (5) of the Headquarters Agreement	101(a)(15)(C)
C-3	Foreign government official, immediate family, attendant, servant or personal employee, in transit	212(d)(8)
D	Crewmember (sea or air)	101(a)(15)(D)
E-1	Treaty trader, spouse and children	101(a)(15)(E)(i)
E-2	Treaty investor, spouse and children	101(a)(15)(E)(ii)
F-1	Student (academic or language training program)	101(a)(15)(F)(i)
F-2	Spouse or child of academic/language student	101(a)(15)(F)(ii)
G-1	Principal resident representative of recognized foreign member government to international organization, staff, and immediate family	101(a)(15)(G)(i)
G-2	Other representative of recognized foreign member government to international organization, and immediate family	101(a)(15)(G)(ii)
G-3	Representative of nonrecognized or nonmember foreign government to international organization, and immediate family	101(a)(15)(G)(iii)
G-4	International organization officer or employee, and immediate family	101(a)(15)(G)(iv)
G-5	Attendant, servant, or personal employee of G-1 through G-4, and immediate family	101(a)(15)(G)(v)
H-1B	Temporary worker of distinguished merit and ability performing services other than as a registered nurse	101(a)(15)(H)(i)(b)
H-1C	Nurse in health professional shortage area	101(a)(15)(H)(i)(c)
H-2A	Temporary worker performing agricultural services unavailable in the United States	101(a)(15)(H)(ii)(a)
H-2B	Temporary worker performing other services unavailable in the United States	101(a)(15)(H)(ii)(b)
H-3	Trainee	101(a)(15)(H)(iii)
H-4	Spouse or child of H-1B/C, H-2A/B, or H-3	101(a)(15)(H)
I	Representative of foreign information media, spouse and children	101(a)(15)(I)
J-1	Exchange visitor	101(a)(15)(J)
J-2	Spouse or child of exchange visitor	101(a)(15)(J)
K-1	Fiance(e) of U.S. citizen	101(a)(15)(K)(i)
K-2	Child of fiance(e) of U.S. citizen	101(a)(15)(K)(iii)
K-3	Spouse of U.S. citizen awaiting availability of immigrant visa	101(a)(15)(K)(ii)
K-4	Child of K-3	101(a)(15)(K)(iii)
L-1	Intracompany transferee (executive, managerial, and specialized personnel continuing employment with international firm or corporation)	101(a)(15)(L)
L-2	Spouse or child of intracompany transferee	101(a)(15)(L)
M-1	Vocational student or other nonacademic student	101(a)(15)(M)(i)
M-2	Spouse or child of vocational/nonacademic student	101(a)(15)(M)(ii)
N-8	Parent of SK-3 special immigrant	101(a)(15)(N)(i)
N-9	Child of N-8 or of SK-1, SK-2 or SK-4 special immigrant	101(a)(15)(N)(ii)
NATO-1	Principal permanent representative of member state to NATO (including any of its subsidiary bodies) resident in the U.S. and resident members of official staff; Secretary General, Assistant Secretaries General, and Executive Secretary of NATO; other permanent NATO officials of similar rank, and members of immediate family	Art. 12, 5 UST 1094; Art. 20, 5 UST 1098

Visa Symbol	Class	Section of Law
NATO–2	Other representatives of member states to NATO (including any of its subsidiary bodies) including representatives, advisers, and technical experts of delegations, and members of immediate family; dependents of members of a force entering in accordance with the provisions of the NATO Status-of-Forces Agreement or in accordance with provisions of the "Protocol on the Status of International Military Headquarters"; members of such a force if issued visas	Art. 13, 5 UST 1094; Art. 1, 4 UST 1794; Art. 3, 4 UST 1796
NATO–3	Official clerical staff accompanying a representative of member state to NATO (including any of its subsidiary bodies), and members of immediate family	Art. 14, 5 UST 1096
NATO–4	Officials of NATO (other than those classifiable as NATO–1), and members of immediate family	Art. 18, 5 UST 1098
NATO–5	Experts, other than officials classifiable as NATO–4, employed in missions on behalf of NATO, and their dependents	Art. 21, 5 UST 1100
NATO–6	Members of a civilian component accompanying a force entering in accordance with the provisions of the NATO Status-of-Forces Agreement; members of a civilian component attached to or employed by an Allied Headquarters under the "Protocol on the Status of International Military Headquarters" set up pursuant to the North Atlantic Treaty; and their dependents	Art. 1, 4 UST 1794; Art. 3, 5 UST 877
NATO–7	Attendant, servant, or personal employee of NATO–1 through NATO–6 classes, and immediate family	Arts. 12–20, 5 UST 1094–1098
O–1	Person with extraordinary ability in the sciences, arts, education, business, or athletics	101(a)(15)(O)(i)
O–2	Person accompanying and assisting in the artistic or athletic performance by O–1	101(a)(15)(O)(ii)
O–3	Spouse or child of O–1 or O–2	101(a)(15)(O)(iii)
P–1	Internationally recognized athlete or member of an internationally recognized entertainment group	101(a)(15)(P)(i) & 214(c)(4)(A) & (B)
P–2	Artist or entertainer in a reciprocal exchange program	101(a)(15)(P)(ii)
P–3	Artist or entertainer in a culturally unique program	101(a)(15)(P)(iii)
P–4	Spouse or child of P–1, P–2, or P–3	101(a)(15)(P)(iv)
Q–1	Participant in an international cultural exchange program	101(a)(15)(Q)(i)
Q–2	Irish Peace Process trainee	101(a)(15)(Q)(ii)(I)
Q–3	Spouse or child of Q–2	101(a)(15)(Q)(ii)(II)
R–1	Person in a religious occupation	101(a)(15)(R)
R–2	Spouse or child of R–1	101(a)(15)(R)
S–5	Informant possessing information on criminal activity	101(a)(15)(S)(i)
S–6	Informant possessing information on terrorism	101(a)(15)(S)(ii)
S–7	Spouse, married or unmarried son or daughter, or parent of S–5 or S–6	101(a)(15)(S)
TN	NAFTA professional	214(e)
TD	Spouse or child of TN	214(e)
T–1	Victim of a severe form of trafficking in persons	101(a)(15)(T)(i)
T–2	Spouse of T–1	101(a)(15)(T)(ii)
T–3	Child of T–1	101(a)(15)(T)(ii)
T–4	Parent of T–1 under 21 years of age	101(a)(15)(T)(ii)
U–1	Victim of criminal activity	101(a)(15)(U)(i)
U–2	Spouse of U–1	101(a)(15)(U)(ii)
U–3	Child of U–1	101(a)(15)(U)(ii)
U–4	Parent of U–1 under 21 years of age	101(a)(15)(U)(ii)
V–1	Spouse of lawful permanent resident awaiting availability of immigrant visa	101(a)(15)(V)
V–2	Child of lawful permanent resident awaiting availability of immigrant visa	101(a)(15)(V)
V–3	Derivative child of V–1 or V–2	101(a)(15)(V)



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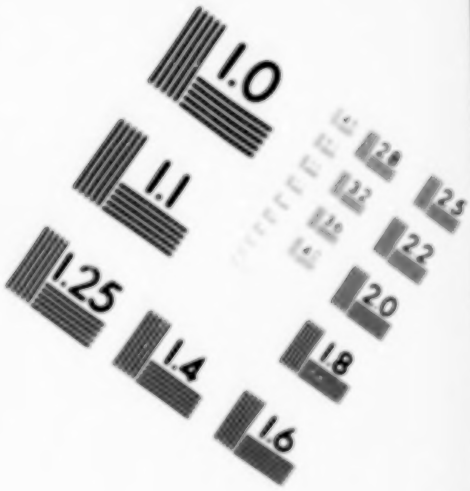

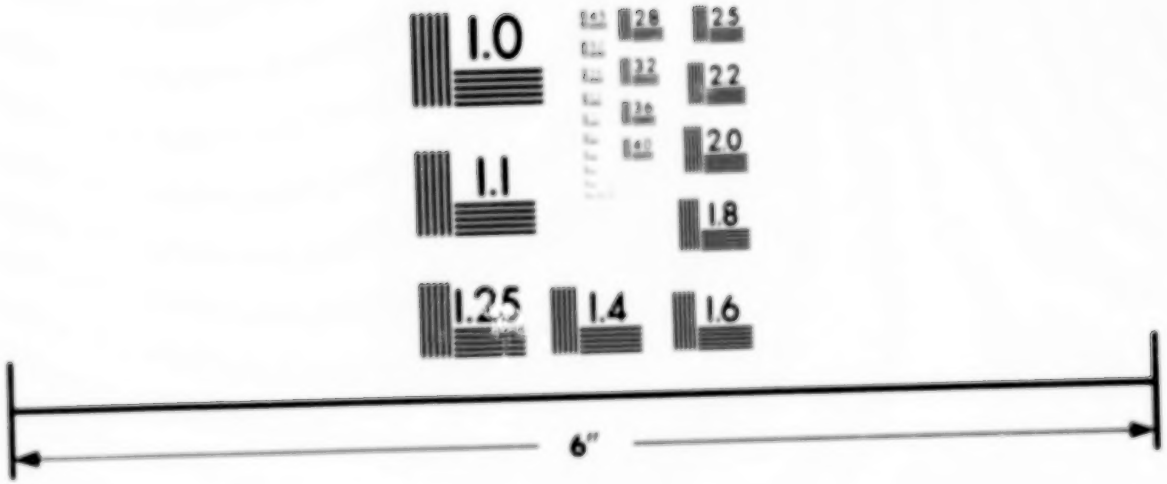
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